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AT OGLETHORPE

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BOILER EXPLOSION
CAUSE OF FLAMES

Johnny Sims, Star Tackle, Is Trampled in Rush of Students To Escape From Building.

BY HELEN AND OLIVE PARRISH.

Flames sweeping a large temporary wooden dormitory at Oglethorpe University Tuesday night imperiled the lives of 82 students housed in the structure, caused damage estimated at \$45,000, and resulted in injuries to two students attempting to escape from the second story of the building. An explosion in the boiler room about 8 o'clock enveloped one end of the pine structure in flames which spread rapidly to all parts of the building. About 15 students were on the second floor at the time of the explosion and in the rush to the opposite end of the dormitory, where the stairway is located, Jimmy Sims, star tackle on the football team, was knocked down and trampled. David Farrell, another student, was overcome by smoke and had to be removed by his fellow students. Their injuries are not serious.

None of the furniture nor university property in the building was saved, and only about one-half of the students' personal belongings were removed to safety. The students rendered temporarily homeless "doubled up" with students in other dormitories for the remainder of the night.

The dormitory, a government structure erected during the world war for housing members of the Students' Army Training Corps stationed at Oglethorpe in 1918, and the university recently had spent more than \$300 in remodeling it. Dr. Thorndell Jacobs, president of Oglethorpe said late Tuesday night.

Dr. Jacobs estimated the loss at \$45,000 and stated that as a result of the recent completion of the new Lowry Hall, all students could be amply cared for without inconvenience.

Dixie Senator
Hit by Head
Of War Vets

Legion Chief Identified Solon Only by Calling Him 'Bigot' for Religious Row.

Albany, N. Y., January 31.—(United News.)—In a plea for tolerance before 50 ex-service men of the state legislature tonight, Edward E. Spafford, national commander of the American Legion, paid his respects to a "certain southern senator and his leg."

Throughout his speech Spafford refrained from naming the subject of his attack, but declared he would do so when his speaking tour of the country brought him to his home state.

Hits Religious Attack

"It is a pity," said Spafford, "that this man should be permitted to stand upon the floor of the United States senate and make light of religion."

"I plan to go to his home state and I am prepared to say the same thing without fear. I am certain, of being tarred and feathered."

"The religious tirades of that man are in insult to every man who fought in the world war, where men fought side by side and gave their lives, regardless of creed. He is breaking faith with them."

Lindy Completes
1,000-Mile Flight
To Virgin Islands

Presidential Salute of 21 Guns Welcomes America's Air Ambassador to St. Thomas.

LEAVES THURSDAY
FOR PORTO RICO

Makes Perfect Landing on Golf Course Where Other Aviators Had Feared To Alight.

BY HELEN AND OLIVE PARRISH.

St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, January 31.—(AP)—A presidential salute of 21 guns announced to Virgin Islanders today that Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh had completed another lap of his good will tour.

Rain cut down the size of the crowd at the golf course where he landed, but it was estimated that 2,000 persons were present to cheer as he dropped out of the sky at the end of a 1,050-mile segment of the Caribbean circle he is negotiating. The hop from Caracas, Venezuela, required 10 hours and 15 minutes.

Cannon Roar Welcomes

The entire region was notified of his approach by the firing of two cannon and the ringing of church bells. The city of St. Thomas went wild with excitement and enthusiasm when it knew that America's favorite flier was near.

It had rained most of the day but shortly before the arrival the sun broke through the clouds to light up the golf course three miles west of the city, where bunkers, sand traps and other hazards had been leveled to give a broad fairway for the landing. Even after the appearance of the famous "Spirit of St. Louis" there was a short period of suspense as an aviator from Porto Rico who made a test flight recently to try out the field had refused to risk landing.

Lindbergh, however, who alighted on a small artificial field at Belize, British Honduras, made an excellent landing. To the immediate cheers of the throng at the golf course was quickly added a salute of 21 guns from the town battery and the raucous squalls of steamer whistles in the harbor.

Given Bonquet by Girl

When the flier stepped from his machine with his customary air of modesty, he was given a bouquet by one of the Virgin Island belles. He was then escorted by the governor's secretary and the governor's chief of staff to where Captain Waldo Evans, U. S. N. retired, governor of the islands, was waiting in an open automobile.

After the governor greeted him a procession formed and drove through the business section of Charlotte Amalie, chief town of the island, to the governor's residence, where Lindbergh will be a guest. Tumultuously cheering crowds greeted the car at every foot of the way through the extensively and elaborately decorated city.

A slight detour to go over St. Croix where he hops off probably at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon for San Juan, Porto Rico, is now on the flier's program at the suggestion of Governor Evans.

Reception by Government

The flier declared that the chain of West Indian islands over which he flew appeared to be very beautiful and he sees no obstacle to hinder an aerial tour along the course he followed.

A dance and reception at government house tonight were ordered cut short in order to give the flier plenty of time to rest.

CUBAN SOCIETY TO GIVE
RELIC TO FLIER

Port Au Prince, Haiti, January 31.—(AP)—A mahogany paper weight loaded with metal from the anchor of Columbus' famous flagship, the Santa Maria, will be given to his aerial successor when he arrives on his good will tour.

The unique relic will be given to Charles A. Lindbergh by the Union Sportive Des Societes Haitiennes with an accompanying certificate from Colonel Frank E. Evans, United States marine corps and chief of the Haitian gendarmerie, testifying to the authenticity of the metal.

JONES' SHIP BILL
VOTED BY SENATE
DESPITE COOLIDGE

Democrats and Western Republicans Defeat Administration Forces in "Showdown."

Washington, January 31.—(AP)—

Over the opposition of President Coolidge and administration leaders, the senate today passed the Jones bill to expand the American merchant marine and to maintain it under government control.

A combination of democrats and western republicans sent the measure to the house by a vote of 53 to 31 after rejecting by overwhelming votes a long series of amendments put forward in a last-minute attack by those who contended the measure would establish a policy of permanent government ownership and operation of the merchant fleet.

Amendment Is Rejected

"Heeding the demand of President Coolidge for early transfer of the government fleet into private hands, administration republicans centered their attack on the provision of the bill requiring unanimous consent of the shipping board for the sale of any vessels hereafter."

An attempt, however, by Senator Edge, republican, New Jersey, to modify the bill to authorize sale of ships by majority vote of the board was rejected, 52 to 31. A move by Senator Willis, republican, Ohio, to permit sales by vote of five of the seven members of the board was then turned down, 47 to 37.

Finally, on the closest vote of the day, the senate rejected an amendment by Senator King, democrat, Utah, adding a provision that nothing in the language of the bill should be construed as committing the United States to a policy of permanent ownership of the fleet.

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CHIEF ANNOUNCES
POLICE SHAKE-UP

Lieut. Shaw Shifted to Station Office, Barfield to Detective Force; Other Changes Made.

Transfers in the personnel of the

Atlanta police department shifting Lieutenant T. D. Shaw from the detective bureau to the station lieutenant's office, and Lieutenant J. W. Barfield to the detective department, were announced Tuesday by Police Chief James L. Beavers.

Other shifts in the department include transfer of Captain G. T. Butler from the evening to the morning watch, and Captain J. L. Gordon from the morning to the evening watch.

Although the transfers involved a shakeup of considerable proportions, Chief Beavers said that they were merely a routine matter for the department in line with the custom of the police department to shift officers from watch to watch every six months.

Other transfers follow: Station Lieutenant J. A. Hollis to the morning watch; Station Lieutenant J. A. Scott to the evening watch; Lieutenant T. O. Sturdivant to field duty on the morning watch; Lieutenant Jack T. Malcolm to the day watch; and the detective force will include: Patrolmen: M. C. Williams to the station lieutenant's office on the day watch; N. P. Barker to the station lieutenant's office on the evening watch; H. A. Hardy to the station lieutenant's office on the morning watch; J. P. G. Ezgle to the morning watch; J. H. Chankshaw to uniform on the morning watch; R. E. Floyd and J. A. Shumate to the morning watch; W. C. Hightower, W. C. Hardy and R. G. Edleman to the day watch; W. J. Mashburn, J. H. Hendrix and S. D. Gunn to the evening watch, and S. C. Tuck to plainclothes. The order also reassigns four of the police automobiles.

Lieutenant Shaw was transferred to the uniform department at his own request, it was understood.

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OF RUSSIAN BONDS.

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CANADIAN OIL
FIRM SECRETS
ELUDE SENATE

Faulty Memories of Teapot Dome Witnesses Baffle Committee Seeking To Penetrate Mystery.

DAWES' BROTHER
FAILS TO ARRIVE

Gives Illness as Excuse for Inability to Attend Hearing; Questioning Continues Today.

Washington, January 31.—(United

News.)—The senate Teapot Dome committee was baffled by faulty memories of witnesses today in its effort to get further information about the mysterious Continental Trading company deal.

Robert W. Stewart, of the Standard Oil of Indiana, one of the participants, notified the committee that he could not reach Washington until tomorrow. Reman Dawes, brother of the vice president and head of the Pure Oil company, also notified the committee he could not be present because of illness.

Other Officials Grilled

The committee questioned other oil officials and A. L. Carlson, treasurer of the Sinclair company, appeared so reticent that Senator Walsh fired some of his most barbed questions at this witness. Walsh then subpoenaed the entire board of directors of the Sinclair Crude Oil Purchasing company.

The Sinclair company joined others in guaranteeing the Continental Trading company contract to purchase oil from the Mexico company at \$1.50 a barrel and resell it automatically to Sinclair and others at \$1.75 a barrel. Carlson, treasurer of the Sinclair company, said he had never heard of the transaction.

"Are you merely dummy directors or are you trying to protect your stockholders?" Walsh asked. Carlson did not answer.

"Do you consider it fair to your stockholders to buy oil through the Continental at \$1.50 and sell it to them at \$1.75?"

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'Reds' Block
Coast of Seas
With Mines

Constantinople, January 31.—(AP)—

An ordinarily authoritative source of maritime information stated tonight that the Soviet Russian government is closing the coasts of Theodosia, at the junction of the Azov and Black seas, to foreign navigation and laying mines.

Reports of counter-revolutionary activities in Russia have been frequent recently but in previous instances the reports proved unfounded. Last week it was rumored in Riga, Latvia, Berlin and Warsaw that a counter-revolutionary attack, led by adherents of the recently-exiled Leon Trotsky, was under way with the oppositionists bombarding Moscow.

Few Soldiers in Park

At the time the only soldiers in the vicinity of the Kremlin Palace, said to be under fire, were some on Sunday leave flirting with girls in the parks.

Earlier reports, emanating from Rumania at a time of political uncertainty in that state, gave detailed accounts of battles in southeastern Russia. An Associated Press correspondent went to the affected region to investigate and found the inhabitants very much surprised to learn of the reported battles.

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HICKMAN'S LAWYERS TRACE
MURDER OF MARIAN PARKER
TO LOSS OF SCHOOL DEBATEWAR VETS LEARN
ARMY 'ISN'T LIKE
IT WAS IN 1918'

Budget for \$318,000,000 Expenditure This Year Reveals Amazing Changes.

Washington, January 31.—(United

News.)—"Gone are the days"—some few million ex-soldiers will comment if they read plans for the new army as revealed before the house appropriations committee hearings made public today.

"The old army isn't what it used to be," is the foregone conclusion of men, who a few short years ago were trudging along muddy roads of France or doing squads right under the blazing sun of southern cantonments. A new army has been born, according to the testimony of high ranking army officers, and is keeping pace, step by step, with the march of progress.

Ask any of the old-timers who chased Villa in Mexico or bartenders in El Paso, Brownsville and other border towns, if they can picture any army with enlisted men playing golf, tennis and taking bridge instructions from professional hostesses. They will shake their heads. "No."

May Get \$318,000,000.

But that is the army of today and the army for which congress will appropriate \$318,000,000 for 1929.

The newest feature of this army of specialists, progressing with the art of making war. In the old days an experienced doughboy could be called upon to storm an enemy-infested hill, build a bridge or doctor a sick mule. Now each man is trained for his particular work and no other.

The newest feature of this army of specialists is a munitions battalion, proposed by Major General Charles P. Summerall, chief of staff. This battalion will be composed of specialists in the use of the new weapons.

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LA FOLLETTE ACTS
ON 'THIRD TERM'

Introduces Resolution in

Senate Condemning Events Indicating Probability of Coolidge Boom

Washington, January 31.—(United

News.)—Fearing some republicans opposed to Hoover intend to offer President Coolidge the crown a third time, Senator La Follette presented an anti-third term resolution in the senate today and announced he would demand an early vote.

La Follette acted on reports that Charles D. Hiles, New York national committeeman and vice chairman of the republican national committee, is cooperating with Secretary Mellon to bring about the renomination of the president. Should democrats cooperate with republican insurgents the

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Indianapolis
City Workers
To Get Wages

Employees Will Be Paid To

day Despite Political Up-roar Over Mayor's Seat.

Indianapolis, Ind., January 31.—(AP)—

The most important development in Indianapolis' mayoralty fight—at least to thousands of school teachers, policemen, firemen and other city employees—was the announcement late today by Treasurer Clyde E. Robinson that he would honor their pay vouchers tomorrow morning.

Treasurer Robinson decided to honor pay vouchers bearing the signatures of Mayor L. E. Slack and Sterling R. Holt, city comptroller, after a conference with his attorneys. A total of approximately \$200,000 was involved. Edward H. Knight, city attorney, said the interests of the municipal employees would be protected. He held that Robinson already was under court orders to honor vouchers bearing Slack's and Holt's signatures, and promised contempt proceedings in the event the money was not given.

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Local Boys Find Thrills
In Trip Around World

Wilbur Couper and Richard Morris Take 4 Months' Cruise

A ship that suddenly began an imitation of a merry-go-round in the middle of the Pacific; a crew whose hair stood on end during the dark nights because of a corpse aboard that stirred the imaginations of a lonely second mate; and a strange city where walked gruesome lepers with their little bells tinkling ominous warning.

These were the experiences of two Atlanta youths who have just returned from a trip around the world on a freighter of the merchant marine fleet—Wilbur Couper, 21, of 94 Eleventh street, N. E., and Richard Morris, a companion, who, with two young Missourians and two students from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, constituted the only white members of the crew on their four months' voyage.

Leaving New York harbor last September 3, the vessel, Steel Navigator, under charter to a trading concern, plowed down the Atlantic's southern lanes with a heavy

cargo of steel and unassembled locomotives for the Far East trade. Three days out they were harassed by a terrific waterspout which they succeeded in eluding only after many hours' skillful navigation.

Somewhere East . . .

Thence through the Panama canal, to Honolulu, the Philippines, Borneo, Java, Sumatra, Singapore—that heterogeneous metropolis of the Straits settlements—a call stop at Aden, Arabia, through Suez and Port Said; thence back to New York. The Port Said-New York journey was a direct, non-stop trip which required 25 days.

When the Steel Navigator left New York it had in addition to its commercial cargo the body of a Filipino cadet who had died at West Point military academy. The second mate's quarters were close by the room in which the body was stored.

Aside from the waterspout, everything went well until the vessel cleared the Panama canal and breast-

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ALLEGED SLAYERS
LODGED IN TOWER

Three Suspects in Dacula Ax Murders Brought to Atlanta for Safe Keeping.

Lawrenceville, Ga., January 31.—(Special.)—Following commitment hearing held here today at which Sam Gower, held as slayer of James Benfield and his young son in their home near Dacula last December, was held to the March term grand jury, Gower and the other two suspects in the case were carried to Atlanta for safe keeping.

LaGrand Sikes and Joe Price, the other two men accused as participating in the double murder, waived commitment hearing, both having turned state's evidence and confessed their parts in the double crime several days ago. The hearing for Gower was held today before Justices John C. Houston, L. M. Whitlock and F. M. Moore. A crowd of 500 jammed the courtroom all day listening with closest attention to the lengthy proceedings.

Sikes and Price repeated substantially the same story on the stand today as told in their confessions last Saturday. They said that on the night of Friday, December 16, the three went to the Benfield home, parking their car about three-quarters of a mile from the house. Gower and Benfield, they said, quarreled over a still and, when Benfield stooped to throw a paper in the fire, Gower hit him on the head with a hammer. He struck several other blows and then, when Benfield's nine-year-old son ran into the room screaming, Gower is accused of having hit him.

Sikes said that Price then cut the child's throat.

The three accused men will be held in the Fulton county jail at Atlanta until the grand jury convenes for the March term of superior court.

The three defendants in the Dacula ax murder case Tuesday night were committed to Fulton tower, after being brought here by Sheriff McGee, who stated that they probably would be held in the tower until the March term of the grand jury.

The three men, Joe Price, 45; Sam Gower, 42, and LaGrand Sikes, 24, are being held in connection with the murder of Jim and John Benfield. Sikes and Price received commitments in Dacula and were brought with Gower to Fulton tower after the latter was committed at a hearing held for him.

HOUSTON CHEERS

JONES ON RETURN FROM NEW YORK

Houston, Texas, January 31.—(AP)—

Jesse H. Jones, who clinched the democratic national convention for Houston with a \$200,000 check, was welcomed back home from New York tonight amid the din of whistles, hands and cheering thousands who lined the principal downtown streets.

Bombs were dropped from the air in salute as the train carrying Jones, wealthy Houston publisher, approached the city. At towns along the route thousands gathered to applaud him. In an address, Jones declared that "picking Houston and Texas and the south as the convention site was available for many reasons."

"It was only necessary that leaders of the party be told of the long fidelity and faithfulness of the south to the democratic party," he said.

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FOX WHEN BEATEN
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DEFENSE CLAIMS

Witnesses Tell of Defendant's Failure To Succeed in Any of Many Jobs Attempted.

MOTHER'S RECORD

IN ASYLUM SHOWN

Woman Frequently Threatened To Commit Suicide and Conspired Against Family.

Los Angeles, Cal., January 31.—

(United News.)—Attorneys defending William Edward Hickman today attempted to trace the murder of 12-year-old Marian Parker back to the loss of a debate in Kansas City high school.

Through a series of depositions read in young Hickman's trial for the girl's murder, evidence was introduced which told how Hickman, for three years, had been a shining student in school. He was popular, successful in his studies and stood forth among his fellow students. He was prominent in student activities and loved acclaim.

Lost Interest in Oratory.

At the beginning of his fourth year, according to the depositions, he lost in an inter-society oratorical contest. He seemed to feel deeply this blow to his reputation as a debater and speaker. He became more reserved, the depositions said, a little morose, less interested in his work, less stable, and his entire attitude was changed. This change, the defense attorneys contended, marked the first symptoms of insanity on the part of Hickman.

The story of Hickman's alleged unbalancing was carefully founded upon the depositions read yesterday which sought to show that his mother was unbalanced and his father was a man of loose morals.

Hickman was an officer of the Webster Literary club which in the incident

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DEMOCRAT HITS
AMERICAN POLICY
OVER NICARAGUA

Washington, January 31.—(AP)—A

protest against the assignment of marines to Nicaragua "to intermeddle with the affairs of another state" was voiced today by Representative Combs, democrat, Missouri.

His first speech from the floor of the house, Combs charged that the marines were in Nicaragua without the authority of congress and declared that by "no possible shadow of reason" could the Monroe doctrine be distorted to cover our intervention in any Latin-American country.

"There is not enough proof to convince any serious-minded man that American lives or property have been endangered or seriously threatened," he charged.

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The Weather

CLOUDY.

Washington.—Forecast:

Georgia: Cloudy Wednesday, probably rain in east portion Thursday, cloudy.

Local Weather Report.

Highest temperature 51
Lowest temperature 48
Mean temperature 49
Normal temperature 43
Rainfall in past 12 hours, in 92
Deficiency since Jan. 1, in 212
Total rainfall since Jan. 1, in 2.82

7 a.m. N'n. T.p.m.

Dry temperature 48 52 49
Wet bulb 48 51 48
Relative humidity 97 92 94

Reports of Weather Bureau Stations.

STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER

ATLANTA, Ga., rain 49 51 48

Augusta, Ga., rain 48 50 48

Birmingham, Ala., rain 48 50 48

Boston, Mass., rain 48 50 48

Buffalo, N. Y., rain . . .

WORK LAUDS PARK IN VIRGINIA SPEECH

Richmond, Va., January 31.—(P)—America is being deprived of the lessons nature should teach, Secretary Work, of the department of the interior, tonight told a gathering of citizens here interested in the projected Shenandoah Valley National park.

"Man's subjugation and utilization of the forces and products of nature are the basis of a successful economic existence and national development which has made us the greatest of all nations," Secretary Work declared. "We have wandered far from untouched nature and are being deprived of the lessons she should teach. The reserved places of great natural beauty are as important in our lives as those utilized areas that provide for our physical needs."

BILL FIXES AREA OF SHENANDOAH PARK

Washington, January 31.—(P)—The house public lands committee today favorably reported the Temple bill establishing the minimum area for the Shenandoah National park between Virginia and Tennessee as 327,000 acres, and also authorizing the secretary of the interior to lease lands within Shenandoah and Great Smoky Mountains National parks for periods not exceeding two years.

Fleet Sails.

Washington, January 31.—(P)—The battle fleet will sail April 18 from San Francisco for Hawaii for two months of tactical maneuvers and gunnery exercises.

Opera Singer Sued Because He Failed To Draw Crowds

New York, January 31.—(United News.)—Because he drew \$4,000 for appearing in five operatic performances in Havana in May, 1923, but failed to draw any customers, Tito Ruffo, the Metropolitan opera baritone, was today made defendant in a suit for \$25,000, brought by Fortune Gallo, opera producer.

Gallo charges the singer "fooled" him into believing that the name of Ruffo alone would attract vast amounts of money into the house, but, according to Gallo's findings, it didn't draw anyone. And Professor Gallo wants back his \$20,000 and the \$5,000 he spent on taking Yvonne Daire, lyric soprano, to Havana for a series of appearances which he had been obliged to assume under his contract with Ruffo.

"While he was singing in 'Hamlet' didn't you go around to his dressing room and keep telling him how wonderful he was?" Gallo was asked on the witness stand by F. W. Sterling, the singer's attorney.

"Yes, I guess I did. He was very fine, but the seats were empty. I went around to all the dressing rooms because you have to smear around everybody."

Gallo admitted he found opera singers temperamental, sensitive, and altogether too hard to handle.

"You are a fifth-rate piccolo player," Ruffo was quoted as having told Gallo in May, 1923.

ENTOMOLOGY FEE TRANSFERRED URGED

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and kept with accuracy; also that the board "shows favorable indication of living within its budgeted income."

An "apparent overcharge" was found, however, in the charges against nurserymen and sweet potato growers for tags of certification.

Bishop Relieved.
Another shake-up in the state department of agriculture came Tuesday when Eugene Talmadge, commissioner of agriculture, announced appointment of A. D. Jones as director of the state bureau of markets to succeed C. H. Bishop, who has served in this post since last spring.

Mr. Bishop has been assigned to work in the dairy department. Mr. Jones, the new director of the market bureau, has been serving as a clerk in the department and for the last two months has served as acting director, according to Mr. Talmadge. Mr. Jones is a farmer of Woodbury, Ga., and has been with the department since last June, when Mr. Talmadge assumed his duties.

Mr. Bishop is a pioneer in the "hog and hen" movement, being associated with the late George Betts, of Ashburn, in the promotion of this work. Mr. Bishop established the first creamery in Georgia at Ashburn, his home town. He served for 10 years as county superintendent of schools and was engaged in practical marketing of Georgia farm products in northern states for many years.

The bureau of markets is one of the most important divisions of the state department of agriculture. It receives an appropriation of approximately \$100,000 a year and a large staff of workers is maintained in the office of the commissioner to handle its activities.

In announcing the change, Mr. Talmadge said Mr. Bishop was experienced in dairying work of all kinds and that he had assigned him to that department. He said he felt that Mr. Jones would make a capable director of the market bureau.

Hadassah Head's New Book To Aid In Welfare Work

"The Immortal Adventure," the latest book by Mrs. Irma L. Lindheim, national Hadassah head and vice president of the Zionist Organization of America, who will be in Atlanta Thursday to address a gathering at the Atlanta Jewish Women's club, will be released on February 10, according to reports received here from Macaulay company, New York publishers.

Mrs. Lindheim, one of the most influential figures in the Jewish womanhood of America and a member of a prominent family, has announced she will give her share of the proceeds from the sale of "The Immortal Adventure" to the Hadassah, the organization providing sanitation and hospital facilities for the residents of Palestine.

Mrs. Lindheim's volume is an account of her recent travels in the Holy Land, the publishers report.

Mrs. Lindheim was invited to visit Atlanta by Jewish leaders of this city and during the day will be entertained with a tea at the Atlanta Jewish more hotel and a dinner at the Henry Grady hotel. The feature of her visit will be her address Thursday night. The occasion is a public meeting and non-Jews as well as Jews are invited to hear the author talk. Her address will be given at the Jewish Women's club on Washington and Clark streets at 8 o'clock in the evening.

TWENTY FIRMS BID FOR SCHOOL WORK

More than a score of firms from all sections of the south entered bids for construction of additions to three junior high schools for which bids were opened Tuesday at a meeting of the contact committee of the board of education and the Atlanta bond commission.

Total low bids are approximately \$67,000 in excess of the estimated figure for the three projects and will cut down the amount of work which can be done from the \$3,500,000 school allocation in the \$8,000,000 bond issue, it was announced. The estimate was \$650,000, but the low bids represented a figure of about \$717,000, according to tentative figures compiled from tabulations by R. R. Ritchie, assistant superintendent of schools in charge of business affairs.

Yager and company is low on the O'Keefe project, according to preliminary compilations of Mr. Ritchie Tuesday night, with \$182,345; H. G. Fleming of Chattanooga, on Bass, with \$167,100; and the Griffin Construction company on Brown, with \$190,257.

Electrical work probably will go to the Georgia Electric company, a composite bid of \$32,254, less two percent discount.

The Seely company was low on the preliminary check on heating the Brown, with a bid of \$27,253; the Higdon company on Bass, with \$23,328; and the Farrell company on O'Keefe, with \$29,411.

Plumbing work, in accordance with the tentative figures compiled by Mr. Ritchie, gave low bid on O'Keefe to Farrell with \$18,580; Bass to Stephens, Brown with \$13,588, and the Shepherd company Brown, with \$13,286.

George Powell, president of the Atlanta board of education, was named chairman of the joint contact board to succeed Dr. R. M. Eubanks. Dr. Eubanks was placed in nomination for another year by Will J. Hapgood, member of the bond commission, but withdrew when William A. Vernor, member of the bond commission, insisted that the president of the board should be the chairman of the joint committee.

A special meeting of the board of education will be held Thursday afternoon to pass on the bids, following another joint meeting of the contact committee at which the lowest bidders are expected to be selected. The committees then will take the bids to the board, and on Friday they will go to the bond commission, which will hold a special session to consider whatever action the board takes on the committee's recommendations. A meeting of the school committee of city council will be held for Friday afternoon, and recommendations as to award of the contracts will be ready for action of city council Monday, according to present plans.

Four Initiated In Sphinx Club At Univ. of Ga.

Athens, Ga., January 31.—(P)—The Sphinx club, recognized as the highest honorary organization at the University of Georgia, has announced the initiation of four promising members of this year's senior class, as follows: Ben H. Hardy, Jr., Barnesville; Thomas J. Hamilton, Jr., Augusta; Luke Stancil, Tate; and Tom Nash, Washington.

Members for the Sphinx club are picked three times a year, selections being based on character, scholarship, athletics, and leadership in student activities. One of the oldest clubs at the university, its roll of members includes some of the most prominent men in the state.

MISSING BOY, GIRL FOUND IN MEMPHIS

Aurora, Ill., January 31.—(P)—A three-day search for Marjorie Anderson, 17, of Aurora, and Stephen Dodge, 16, of Oakland, Cal., freshmen at Aurora college, ended today with the locating of the couple at Memphis, Tenn.

The whereabouts of the couple was learned when Dodge wired a college friend here for funds. The two are being held by the Memphis police, who acting on information from Aurora authorities located the boy and girl, pending the arrival there of Orin S. Jenks, president of the college, who will bring them back.

Marjorie disappeared Saturday night after she had told her father, G. A. Anderson, that she was going to attend a basketball game. When the father went to call for her he was informed there had not been a game at the college.

With the finding of a note from the girl saying she had gone to visit Dodge's sister who lives near Aurora, the college authorities discovered that Dodge had also disappeared. Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Dodge, of Oakland, informed the Andersons they did not have a daughter.

YOUTHS FIND THRILLS IN WORLD JOURNEY

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ed the yellowish waters of the Pacific. Then things began to happen. The mate had a dream one night and raised a howl. The dead Filipino cadet, he ascertained, had stalked through the partition in which he was caged, clear through the walls.



WILBUR COUPER.

and into the berth of the mate, alongside of which he stood and looked down at the terrified man.

Corpses Hadn't Budged.

An investigation, raised by the local press, only brought forth the quieting knowledge that the corpse was in his assigned place and had not moved. But the mate never stood the lonely vigil of the dogwatch after that unless accompanied by a deck hand or other member of the crew; and the effect on the morale of the gullible Filipino crew was devastating.

It took a South sea typhoon to break the spell of the ghost. It was on the morning of October 15 that the ship, at that time steered by the six white youths, who took turns at the wheel, ran full into the fury of the storm.

"I took the wheel at noon," young Couper related Tuesday night. "I stayed at it until 2 p. m. at which time Dick (Morris) relieved me. Five minutes after Dick had taken the wheel the compass did a strange thing. It jumped from 230 degrees to 275 degrees in one minute."

Steering Bolt Broken.

"This puzzled us, and was shocking to the first mate, whom Dick called. The mate immediately ran down to the chief engineer's office with the news. The fact of the matter was—it later proved—that during the storm the waves had buffeted us around so much that it had broken a bolt in the steering machinery.

"Luckily, however, the broken bolt did not give away until the next day, after the typhoon had been passed. Then we were in for a ride! The ship, of 10,000 tons, began to go round and round in a great circle, right in the middle of the Pacific. The bolt had parted and the rudder was sprung, so we couldn't straighten her out."

The mate summoned six men to take over the emergency steering wheel until the trouble could be fixed. It took all six of us to maneuver that big wheel, which guides the ship by sheer man power.

A Waistcoat Complex.

In Singapore the crew went ashore, Couper said. They were amused at the natives there who clamored for and endeavored to sell them all sorts of strange articles, usually wanting nothing better in payment than a waistcoat.

"They will approach you on the street, or come out to the ship in bumboats, and furtively inquire if you have a 'waistcoat,'" Couper said.

But what got Dick and myself were these lepers that run loose around the streets there. They have little bells tied on them, and they walk down the main streets, taking about 20 steps, then pausing to jingle their bell that means 'gangway.' Believe me, we gave 'em plenty of room."

Eating that far east isn't what it's cracked up to be, the young voyager declared.

"In Singapore we saw 'chicken' on the hill of fare, and ordered it. The fat Chinese waiter brought us a huge plate of fat stuff that wobbled like jelly and proved to be the feds of feds, and as a side dish we had wormy termites. Not so good! We gave it up and ate rice."

LA FOLLETTE ACTS ON "THIRD TERM"

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La Follette resolution might be adopted. It is uncertain whether Democrats will become involved in an internal republican matter.

"Some Accept 'Doesn't Choose.'"

Most regular republicans here have accepted the president's two statements as a final self-elimination, and have endeavored to sell them as regulars, Curtis of Kansas, and Willis, of Ohio, have launched forth as candidates themselves.

"Some have attached themselves to the Hoover movement. Others are for Lowden or Dawes. Most of these were ready to support Coolidge until he said he did not intend to run. Having burned their bridges behind them it would be hard for some of them to

retreat. So any vote that would force a showdown now would be embarrassing to many of these senators.

The fact is that few republicans here believe Coolidge would accept renomination and practically all of them long ago dismissed him from consideration. When he said last August that he did not choose to run, many refused to accept this as final and continued to urge his renomination.

But when he told the national committee last December that this statement, which he referred to as having eliminated himself, was final and must be respected, most republicans, with regrets, accepted the president at his word.

LOWDEN EXPLAINS CLOSING OF OFFICE

St. Louis, Mo., January 31.—(P)—Former Governor Frank O. Lowden, of Illinois, told the St. Louis Post-Dispatch today there was "no significance at all" to the closing of the Lowden presidential campaign headquarters in the Waldorf hotel in New York.

Talking over the telephone from his home at Ogden, Ill., Lowden said: "I did not even know there was a Lowden headquarters in New York. Anything that may have been done along that line was by some of my friends, and if there was a headquarters and if that headquarters has been closed, there is no significance at all to it."

CALIFORNIA SOLONS BACK HOOVER

Washington, January 31.—(United News.)—California republicans, members of the house today unanimously endorsed Secretary of Commerce Hoover for the republican presidential nomination at the forthcoming Kansas City convention.

A resolution endorsing Hoover was adopted by Representatives Englebright, Curry, Kahn, Welch, Carter, Harbourn, Free, Evans, Crail and Swigg.

WAR VETS LEARN ARMY IS CHANGED

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tation would be composed of 250 college students, enlisted for a period of 18 months, their tuition and all expenses would be paid and they would specialize in procurement of munitions at the end of their schooling the men would be commissioned second lieutenants in the reserve corps.

More Uniforms Sought.

Men, who a few years ago were forced to "go to town" with ill-fitting blouses and baggy breeches, will grin their teeth with envy when they learn

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the plans for dressing the new army. By 1930, General Summerall said, "each enlisted man will have three made-to-order suits once service, one dress and one full dress."

At the present time the army provides each man with one made-to-measure "Sunday suit" during his term of enlistment. The new dress uniforms will be blue, or some shade of blue, with all the trappings of a drum major, the house committee was informed.

In addition, the chief of staff asked \$225,000 to provide furniture for the quarters of married enlisted men. He also asked for an appropriation to give every man a wall locker, where his uniforms can be hung neatly instead of being thrown under the bunk.

And what will the old trooper of 1916 say when he reads of the enlisted men's amusement plans as divulged by Major General Lutz Wahl, adjutant general? Twelve years ago the chief amusement was a ride or walk over to the nearest barroom, with may be a fight or two thrown in on the way home.

Now the men play golf, tennis, baseball, football, basketball, have dances

arranged for them by army hosts, have motion pictures and libraries which average 20 books a year to out by each enlisted man, the adjutant general said.

And the rations—sometimes enough in the old days to make the most loyal want to "go over a hill"—but now—

"Our morale is higher, our men are happier, desertions have fallen off, reenlistments are larger, and there is buoyancy, a sense of well-being, I have not been accustomed to find."

General Summerall said, "and I believe it is very largely due to the feeding and conditioning of our men."

Newspapers Merged.

London, January 31.—(P)—More than 500 English journalists, printers and newspaper mechanical workmen will be jolled on Fleet street tomorrow as a result of the amalgamation of the Westminster Gazette with the Daily News, which will be announced then and will become immediately effective.

PIGGY WIGGLY

Headquarters for Fresh FRUITS and VEGETABLES Received Daily

BEANS Wonderful Red Valentines	lb., 25c
PEAS Fresh English Fancy	lb., 22½c
POTATOES New Red Bliss	No. 1, lb., 6½c
TURNIPS Wonderful Green Tops	Bunch, 12½c
BEETS Fancy Large Bunch	Each . . . 12½c
CABBAGE Fancy Texas Green	Lb., 17½c
SPINACH Wonderful Green	Lb., 17½c
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Friends Boston Baked Beans, large can	21c
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Friends Red Kidney Beans, large can	21c
Friends Red Kidney Beans, small can	14c
Day By Day Cut Beets	11c
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ATLANTA & WEST POINT R. R.—L. & N. R. R.

ALLEGED SLAYER HELD FOR FLORIDA

Louisville, Ga., January 31.—(Special.)—Sheriff D. C. Thomas, of this county, is holding in jail here a white man named Tom Sasser, said to be wanted in Florida for murder. The local sheriff has notified the sheriff of Okaloosa county, Florida, that this prisoner is awaiting an officer to carry him back to that state. He is willing to waive extradition rights, states Sheriff Thomas.

Actors Ban "Risqué Lines," So Show Is Without Villain

San Francisco, January 31.—(United Press.)—Risqué lines are one thing, but "playing smut" is another, and therefore the Green Street theater, exponent of "daring" drama, is without a leading man or a villain for "The Bridal Bed," its latest melodramatic effort.

J. Anthony Smythe, former star of a company playing "Rain," has given the management the required two weeks' notice of resignation because "dirt" was substituted for frankness at the Green Street house. Vic Rodman, the villain, flatly refused to say

some of the lines in the rewritten last act and was promptly given the required two weeks' notice of dismissal. "We will not do dirt for dollars" after being brought here for legitimate purposes, Smythe said after he submitted his resignation.

Smythe said he was hired to play the lead in a play to be called "The Bridal Bed." Although he had never heard of the piece he said the Actors' Equity reported that the theater was all right and he was told it was an exponent of the little theater movement.

After he arrived here, he said, the management had the last act of the drama rewritten because they thought it was flat.

"When I was given my part for the last act I was surprised," Smythe said. "I wanted to quit on the spot. It was reprehensible, however. The rules of the Actors' Equity forbid quitting after rehearsals without notice."

"I have played in parts involving risqué lines, but this is too much for me. It is an insult to the profession."

The Green Street theater recently played "The Married Virgin" to packed houses for many weeks. Police arrested the management and actors but after a series of injunctions and a jury trial in which the jury heard the vehicle, its patronage after the arrest was said to have been greater than before.

THREE NEGROES HELD; STOLEN LOOT FOUND

Richard Turner, Thurman Harris and William Harris, negro boys, were arrested Tuesday night in Buckhead by County Officers Captain J. C. Oliver, Lieutenant A. T. Butler, A. A. Stovall and B. L. Hughes and are being held at Fulton county tower on charges of larceny.

The negroes, according to county police, have been responsible for a number of thefts from parked automobiles during the past ten days and numerous stolen articles have been recovered by the officers. Included in the stolen goods are two physicians' cases and a large number of overcoats. Persons who have missed articles from their parked cars are asked to call at county police headquarters and identify their belongings.

ATLANTA RELIEF AGENCIES ASSIST 13,761 FAMILIES

"An impressive record," was the description given yesterday by Frank Miller, service secretary of the Atlanta Community Chest, in his report of December activities of the activities of the Chest, which summarizes the work of the 25 agencies for social welfare and human reconstruction operating in connection with the Chest.

It was reported that the agencies together served 13,761 families and individuals, filling Atlanta's charity needs with a complete and solid basis before. The relief societies, according to the report, served 5,964; the child caring agencies, 1,015; the character-forming agencies, 5,895; and the "individual" group of agencies, embracing the Home for Incurables and the Home for Old Women, 77.

Christmas necessities made heavy demands upon the resources and machinery of the Chest. The 25 agencies made 810 "clearances" through the Social Service Exchange, and the "Christmas clearances" in behalf of charity by individuals and outside organizations numbered 2,784, a total of 3,594. This means that this number of charity cases was checked against the records of the agencies, which includes nearly 60,000 names, to prevent duplication of relief work and waste of charity effort and funds.

At the chamber of commerce the line section of the chest of applied tactics and troop leading will be so distributed that groups will combat with one another in a map maneuver illustrating the action of an assault battalion of an infantry regiment in the attack.

At the Academy of Medicine the session will mark the first of a series of conferences in which the students will prepare the administrative plan and write the administrative order for a division in the attack.

Hypothetical Battle Is Planned Tonight For Reserve Officers

Assembling at the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce and the Academy of Medicine, at 38 Prescott street, at 7:30 o'clock tonight about 100 Atlanta reserve officers will engage in hypothetical battle.

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KIWANIS HEAR DEBATE ON CRIME NEWS PUBLICATION

The Rev. Marvin Williams, pastor of Wesley Memorial church, defended the affirmative in debate with Fuzzy Woolf, Atlanta newspaperman, as the program feature at the Tuesday meeting of the Kiwanis club in the Ansley hotel. The question was: "Resolved, that the portrayal of crime and publication of facts about the crime and criminal are harmful and not helpful." No decision in the debate was rendered.

The musical entertainment consisted of Scotch songs by John McCreedy, noted Scotch singer.

Dr. Charles W. Roberts was elected to the board of directors of the club for a term of one year to fill a vacancy. The meeting was presided over by Fred Snel, president.

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FIGHT ON M'GEHEE WILL IS UPHELD

The case of Mrs. Pattie McGehee Pope against Mrs. Vera Hatcher McGehee and the Trust Company of Georgia was tried in Fulton superior court before Judge Humphries on Tuesday, resulting in a judgment in favor of the plaintiff, overruling the defendants' motion to dismiss the petition.

After the case had been called and the jury had been sworn, General Clifford Anderson, attorney for the defendants, moved that the case be dismissed on the ground that plaintiff would not be entitled to recover even though all of the allegations of the petition should be established by the evidence in the case, and submitted to the court numerous authorities in support of his position.

After argument the court overruled the defendants' motion and held that if the plaintiff's allegations should be supported by the evidence, she would be entitled to recover.

Attorneys for the defendant then gave notice that they would immediately move for judgment on the merits of the case, and the court granted the motion, suspending the trial for a period of four years.

The case was based on a deed executed by Charles C. McGehee, now deceased, which was made October 26, 1926, about three weeks before his death.

The petition showed that Mr. McGehee, prior to execution of the deed had executed a will conveying a valuable estate to his wife, Mrs. Vera Hatcher McGehee, to his son, C. C. McGehee, Jr., and to his daughter, Mrs. Pattie McGehee Pope, and that subsequently, by codicil, he had modified the will by conveying to his wife his valuable residence and land contiguous thereto on East Fifteenth street, and that shortly before his death he conveyed to his wife the McGehee apartments on Peachtree street valued at \$200,000, the codicil and deed operating to practically deprive his daughter of valuable participation in the estate.

The petition further charged that Mrs. Vera Hatcher McGehee was the stepmother of the plaintiff and had used undue influence on Charles C. McGehee to induce him to convey the bulk of his property to her at a time when Mr. McGehee lacked mental capacity to execute the deed.

The plaintiff was represented by Messrs. Howell, Heyman & Bolding and the defendants by Messrs. Anderson, Rountree & Crenshaw.

PENNINGTON HEADS STEWART CAMPAIGN

Appointment of Robert F. Pennington as campaign manager and opening of headquarters for the Walter B. Stewart campaign.

Stewart race for Fulton county commissioner, were announced Tuesday by the committee.

Headquarters will be at 608 Atlanta Company building, and Mr. Pennington will take immediate charge of the drive to elect Mr. Stewart to the position he has held since Mayor L. N. Ragdale resigned to become Mayor of Atlanta.

Mr. Pennington is alderman from the first ward, and formerly served as campaign manager for Mayor L. N. Ragdale. He has been active in political, fraternal and civic circles of the city for many years and members of Mr. Stewart's committee Tuesday expressed gratification that he has become actively affiliated with the campaign.

"I feel that no better man in public life could have been selected than Mr. Pennington," Mr. Stewart said Tuesday night in commenting on action of the committee. "He has always been loyal to his friends, and will conduct a campaign on the high plane on which my friends and I feel it should be pitched."

"Those in close touch with activities of the commission know of the splendid record made by Mrs. Stewart as a member and we shall predicate our claims for a full term on that record," said Mr. Pennington. "His friends are proud of it, and invite voters to inspect it closely. His platform will be one of harmony and close cooperation of all interests in city and county."

ATLANTA CIVITANS TO SEEK NATIONAL CONVENTION IN 1929

A determined attempt to bring the annual national convention of the Civitans to Atlanta in 1929 was launched Tuesday at the weekly meeting of the local club at the Atlanta Athletic club, when delegates to the Detroit convention in June were authorized to extend the invitation.

"Vanishing Fortunes," a film illustrating the advantages of thrift in investments, was shown as a feature of the weekly program Tuesday. Musical attractions on the program were provided by Miss Louise Bonnell, vocalist, and Miss Ethel Ber, organist, both of the Druid Hills Methodist church. President H. Z. Hopkins presided at the gathering.

DUGGAN WILL SPEAK IN FORT VALLEY FRIDAY

M. J. Duggan, state superintendent of schools, will deliver an address at Fort Valley Friday at the dedication of a new \$100,000 high school recently erected there.

Superintendent Duggan will go to Quitman and Valdosta Saturday. He will speak at Quitman Saturday morning and at Valdosta Saturday afternoon. At both places he will be heard by teachers, county school officials and others interested in educational problems.

Oil Tanker Floated.

Wilmington, Del., January 31.—(AP) The Texas Oil company tanker, New York, which went aground on Cross Ledge, about 20 miles above Lewes, was floated today after three tugs had been sent from Philadelphia with a lighter to take a portion of her cargo. The New York reached Claymont tonight.

COUNTY DEFICIT CHARGE, DENIED

By HERMAN D. HANCOCK.

Charges and denial that Fulton county commissioners have incurred deficits in recent years and that the total by October 1, of this year would reach \$2,000,000 featured a political rally Tuesday night at Russell High school in East Point.

The meeting was held under auspices of the South Fulton Improvement club. Fulton county's income is approximately \$5,000,000 annually, county commissioners, by injudicious expenditures are now facing a huge deficit. He added that the county would reach \$2,000,000 by October 1, and declared that Mr. Hewlett, if elected, would curtail improvements until finances warrant additional outlays.

He also hit the present salary schedule of the county, saying that employees have been granted \$150,000 in wage hikes within the past four years.

Debts Paid, Says Stewart.

Denying that the county has faced a deficit in the past ten years, and asserting that every penny owed on January 1 of each year, Walter B. Stewart said, "We have been paying a candidate in the March primary, took the floor in defense of the present board."

"We borrow money as we are entitled to under the law and as every county in Georgia does to carry on improvements during the year before taxes are collected in the fall," Mr. Stewart said. "We have been paying too much interest for the money we have borrowed, but expect to ask voters of Fulton county in the general election to so amend the law as to permit us to borrow money on the open market as the city of Atlanta does and thus save large sums in interest."

Business, good, that is, what we are trying to give the people of Fulton county—a businesslike administration. We have no outstanding debts, no unpaid bills, no liabilities. We are in good financial condition."

Dr. A. H. Cochran, former mayor pro tem of the city of Atlanta, who also is a candidate for commissioner, declared that he would do his best to give voters of Fulton county an honest and clean administration backed by his wide experience as a member of the finance committee of city council.

Captain George Hope, a member of the commission who is seeking reelection, and Edward Inman, former member of the Atlanta city council and Atlanta financier, also a candidate, were not present at the meeting Tuesday night.

Carlton Binns Speaks.

Carlton Binns, solicitor of the criminal court of Atlanta, made his first public appearance and officially launched his campaign. He offered the "same conscientious, faithful and efficient service which we have given you in the past" in return for votes. Binns is an opponent of former Governor Clifford Walker, and is seeking a full term.

Leonard Crawford, who heads the ticket of John McClelland, Mr. Binns' opponent, represented Mr. McClelland. He declared the new regime would attempt to make several changes "for the public good" in the office. He announced the completed ticket.

Three women took the stump for the post of Fulton county treasurer, all seeking the nomination and promising efficient and businesslike administration of the office. They are seeking the post now held by Miss Margaret Culbertson, who will not seek reelection.

Mrs. Mabel Abbott MacNeill, daughter of William H. Abbott, at present Fulton county tax collector, who will not reoffer, was the first to take the rostrum. She was followed by Mrs. Beulah Manston, sister of Thad Lynhoke, coroner, and Mrs. J. R. Wakefield, former school teacher.

J. C. Harrison, former president of the Atlanta City Salesmen's association, who has announced for the position has not yet qualified, and did not appear.

Sheriff James I. Lowry was represented by Jesse Simmons, attorney, and Taylor Smith represented A. M. Corrie, who is opposing Mr. Lowry for reelection the fourth consecutive term.

No new candidates qualified Tuesday and the list remained as it was last Saturday with 21 entitled to run in the primary and with six contests assured.

In an effort to spur registration, registrars will be at the city halls of East Point, College Park and Hapeville today, Thursday and Friday, respectively, it was announced. They will register citizens between 10 o'clock in the mornings and 6 o'clock in the afternoon.

Qualified Candidates.

Those who have qualified for the races to date follow:

For county commission, Walter B. Stewart, Captain George M. Hope, Dr. A. H. Cochran, Edward H. Inman, Sam D. Hewlett; for tax collector, Edwin F. Johnson and Walter E. Harwell; for solicitor criminal court of Atlanta, Carlton W. Binns and John McClelland; for sheriff, James I. Lowry and A. M. Corrie; for treasurer, Mrs. Mabel Abbott MacNeill and Mrs. Beulah Manston; for tax collector, W. S. Richardson, incumbent; for ordinary, Thomas H. Jeffries, incumbent; for superintendent Fulton county schools, Jere A. Wells, incumbent; for judge criminal court of Atlanta, Judge Jesse M. Wood, incumbent; and R. E. Church; for clerk, Fulton county superior court, Thomas Miller, incumbent; for coroner, Paul Bonelson, incumbent.

STANDING ON TRACKS, MAN KILLED BY TRAIN

En route home from his work as nightwatchman, M. T. King, 52, of 103 Martin street, employee of the Georgia-Louisiana corporation, in East Point, was instantly killed early Tuesday morning when struck by the "Southland," fast passenger train, at the East Washington street crossing of the Central of Georgia railway.

King was walking along the north-bound tracks oblivious to the approach of the fast train while watching the local to Jonesboro pass, according to witnesses. The engineer of the "Southland" told witnesses that he blew the whistle, but was unable to attract King's attention. Engineer H. Pookett, of the Jonesboro train, said he also tried in vain to warn King by blowing the whistle. The "Southland" was unable to stop in time to avoid the accident, it was said.

King was a native of Gwinnett county, and moved to Atlanta recently from Lawrenceville. He is survived by his brother, W. H. King, two sons, Clyde, of Miami, Fla., and Elton King, of Lawrenceville, and a daughter, Mrs. Fred Coker, of Fulton county.

The body is at the undertaking parlor of A. C. Hemperly & Sons, in East Point, awaiting funeral arrangements.

CLERICAL WORKERS OFFERED PLACES IN GUARD DIVISION

Applications to become members of a general staff section of headquarters detachment of the Thirteenth National Guard division, which is to be organized immediately with headquarters at the Capitol Annex, 12 Capitol square, S. W., are now being received by Major General E. J. Williams, commanding the division, according to announcement.

This section will be composed of 17 enlisted men of the following ranks, five master sergeants, two staff sergeants, one sergeant, one corporal and five privates. Young men who have had military training and are trained in office and clerical work are eligible to make application, the announcement states.

A general invitation is extended and no admission charge will be made.

TREVER TO SPEAK ON "PASSION PLAY"

Dr. George H. Trever, president of Gannon Theological seminary, will deliver an illustrated lecture in the Ponce de Leon Avenue Methodist Episcopal church at 7:45 o'clock tonight. His subject will be the "Passion Play." This lecture will be illustrated by a series of lantern slides. A general invitation is extended and no admission charge will be made.

RUSSELL SALESMEN IN CONFERENCE HERE

Representatives from the southeast and from the factory of the Russell Manufacturing company, of Middletown, Conn., held an all-day sales conference Monday at the Biltmore hotel. G. N. Shoop, manager of the Atlanta division, presided.

The Russell company manufactures Russell brake linings, belting and automotive products. A general discussion of policies outlining advertising of merchandise for 1928, which was participated in by all representatives present, was held.

Ralph Jones, mechanical engineer of the factory, gave a forceful address on "Belting."

COURT ACTION SEEN IN GAS CONTROVERSY

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

Court action involving the right of Georgia towns and cities to buy and distribute gasoline with exemption from the state tax upon distributors of motor fuels was seen as an early possibility by officials of the comptroller-general's office here Tuesday following recent action of the department in issuing a fine against the city of Atlanta for collection of \$2,016.48, said to be due in back taxes for the months from September to December, inclusive.

State-wide interest would revolve around such a case, by virtue of the precedent involved, attaches of the department said in calling attention to recent reports that the city of Atlanta would file injunction proceedings to halt collection of the tax.

"Distributor" is the term used in the law to refer to dealers in motor fuels and kerosene, it was pointed out, and the statute defines the word as including "any person, association of persons, firm, corporation, and political subdivision" of the state.

Georgia municipalities would clearly come under the law, it was contended, for this reason and the added fact that the supreme court has several times sustained the collection of such a tax. A number of towns and cities of the state have been evading payment of the tax, it was said, and some of them have been reported both using and selling gasoline, allowing their employees to obtain it at cost.

COUNTY CANDIDATES WILL SPEAK TONIGHT

Candidates for Fulton county offices to be nominated March 7 in the primary will speak at 7:30 o'clock tonight at a meeting of the Sixth ward Civic league at Fraternity hall, 1221-2 Marietta street. H. H. Randall, president of the league, will preside. Several aspirants for positions already have accepted the invitation.

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Howells Ask To Be Named Defendants Instead of Bank In Suit by Lea and Caldwell

Citizens and Southern National in Filing Answer Attacks Statement by Constitution Owners.

Request that Clark Howells, Albert Howell and Clark Howell, Jr., owners of The Constitution, be made defendants and be substituted as defendants for the Citizens & Southern National bank in a suit brought by Luke Lea and Rogers Caldwell, of Nashville, Tenn., to compel the delivery of one controlling stock of The Constitution to Lea and Caldwell, was filed in the federal district court in Atlanta today by the bank through an attorney.

The document filed by the bank was in the nature of a cross bill and interpleader as an answer to the suit recently filed by Lea and Caldwell to compel the sale of the paper. The bank stated that its connection with the case was merely that of a stakeholder as it had in its possession certain common stock of the bank turned over to the Howells and \$130,000 turned over by Lea and Caldwell. The suit involves a sales contract which contained an offer by Lea and Caldwell to purchase The Constitution common stock held by the Howells.

Judge Samuel Sibley filed February 11 as a date for the hearing and cited all parties concerned to appear before him and show cause why the Howells should not be made defendants in the case instead of the Citizens & Southern National bank.

"Difference of construction of the contract arose over the nature of the audit made of the books of The Constitution. The Howells, in a letter filed Tuesday, set forth the statement that the common stock of The Con-

stitution is valued at \$400 a share while the audit of the books under the Lea and Caldwell auditors claimed that this stock was worth less than \$20 a share. The bank declined to turn over the stock on the basis of the latter valuation.

The Citizens & Southern National bank, in filing its interpleader, attached to it a statement from the Howells in which they declared they are the real parties at interest in the suit brought by Lea and Caldwell and in which they also ask that the bank present this statement to the attention of the court.

This statement, which gives the history of the entire proceedings leading to the contract between Lea and Caldwell and the Howells, is, in full, as follows:

Howells Letter.

"Atlanta, Ga., January 27, 1928. 'Citizens & Southern National Bank,' 'Atlanta, Georgia.

"Gentlemen:

"Our attention has been called to the action brought by Messrs. Luke Lea and Rogers Caldwell, of Nashville, Tennessee, returnable to the March term of the United States district court, against Citizens & Southern National bank, involving alleged agreements for the purchase of certain shares of the common stock of the Constitution Publishing company from Clark Howells, et al. Clark Howells, et al., although parties to the alleged contract, were not made parties to the suit by Messrs. Lea and Caldwell.

"The Citizens & Southern National bank properly rejected a tender of \$54,350.88 made by the plaintiff as full payment for the purchase price of said stock. This tender was not in accordance with the terms of the contract.

"The contractual representations with respect to the earnings of the company were arrived at by the methods of bookkeeping in operation by the Constitution Publishing company.

"Financial statements of the company, showing in detail how these earnings were arrived at, were placed in the hands of Messrs. Lea and Caldwell and were examined by them in detail prior to the execution of the contract.

"For your information, we beg leave to submit the following condensed statement of some of the material facts and circumstances surrounding the execution of the contract:

"During the month of April, 1927, Mr. Porter Adams, Jr., called on Albert Howell and outlined a proposition from undisclosed parties to purchase the shares of Constitution Publishing company stock owned or controlled by Clark Howells, Sr., Clark Howell, Jr., and Albert Howell.

"Mr. Adams requested Albert Howell to arrange a conference between himself and the three Howells above referred to, with a view to negotiating a trade for said stock in behalf of said undisclosed principals.

"Albert Howell informed Mr. Adams that the proposed conference would not result in a trade because similar conferences proposed by other parties had previously failed and that Clark Howells, Sr., having devoted his life, since attaining his majority, to The Constitution, and controlling, through himself and family, the majority stock of The Constitution Publishing company, attached to the property a sentimental and practical value so much in excess of the commercial value of the stock as to make it impossible to reach any agreement of purchase and sale.

"Principals' Names Given.

"Subsequently, Mr. Adams called again on Mr. Albert Howell, urging the proposed conference. The request was declined by Mr. Adams. Mr. Adams then disclosed the names of the principals to Mr. Albert Howell, who then informed that Messrs. Luke Lea and Rogers Caldwell, of Nashville, Tenn., who had recently been instrumental in the purchase of the 'Commercial Appeal,' were the principals.

"In a few days thereafter, Mr. Adams brought Messrs. Lea and Caldwell to the office of Albert Howell and they were informed by Albert Howell that Clark Howells, Sr., would not make any proposition in the premises, but would consider a proposition from them, based on \$400 per share for the common capital stock, and other conditions to be agreed upon.

"Before making a proposition, Messrs. Lea and Caldwell expressed the desire to see the financial statement of The Constitution Publishing company for the year 1926 and for the first three months of 1927.

"Itemized Statements Prepared.

"Albert Howell then handed Messrs. Lea and Caldwell itemized financial statements of the company, which had been furnished him as president of The Constitution Publishing company, showing in detail assets, liabilities, income, expenses and earnings for the year 1926, and for the months of January, February and March, 1927.

"These statements showed, by classification and by items, the income of The Constitution Publishing company for each of said periods, and the liabilities, expenses and disbursements of the company for the same periods, including, by items, all of the reserves for all liabilities carried during said periods.

"Messrs. Lea and Caldwell stated that it would be necessary for them to carefully examine and study these statements, and that after such study had been completed, they would invite a conference with said Howells.

"Subsequently, they called again at the office of Albert Howell, stating that they had fully digested said statements, and invited a conference

Dr. Wise Invites Questions From Floor at Lecture Here

Dr. Stephen S. Wise, rabbi of the Free Synagogue of New York, has announced that he is perfectly willing to answer questions from the floor during his lecture 'Jew and Gentile,' which he is to give at the auditorium next Tuesday night.

Dr. Wise, famous among pulpits of the day for the broad liberality of his views, has the faculty, it is said, of starting his audience more perfectly than any other speaker. As a result of this, it is almost invariably occurs that a lecture delivered by him is the cause of more controversy than any other where he speaks than any other event.

Dr. Wise has made frank and astonishing utterances in regard to comparative marriage, world religion, evolution, immortality and other subjects which are occupying the deepest thought of the greatest thinkers of the day and it is inevitable that arguments should spring with fecundity wherever he speaks.

His synagogue in New York, described as a church where men of any faith may sincerely worship their own gods, is crowded to capacity every Sunday and there is hardly a matter of public interest in the national metropolis which does not receive his comment—invariably a comment startlingly different from what might be expected from members of the Jewish race, has not yet ended.

About a year ago Dr. Wise expressed the view from his synagogue pulpit that Jesus Christ was the greatest man who ever lived. This resulted in a debate which, among leaders of the Jewish race, has not yet ended.

Dr. Wise is brought to Atlanta tonight by the organization of prominent young Jewish women who are supporting a group of war orphans in Palestine, where they are being trained for active life in agriculture and other pursuits. All proceeds of the Wise lecture will go to this cause.

Tickets for the lecture may be secured from members of the Junior Hadassah or from the Cable Piano company, Phillips & Crew Piano Co. or Jacobs Pharmacy, main store.

ENVOYS AT HAVANA FAMILY SKELETON TAKE DAY'S OUTING PARADED AT TRIAL

Havana, January 31.—(AP)—All activities in the sixth Pan-American congress were suspended today when the envoys at Havana took a holiday trip to Mariel arranged by the state department of Cuba.

The Havana university buildings were deserted in so far as delegation work was concerned, for the greater majority of the representatives had embarked at an early hour for the Mariel trip. One passenger steamer from Cuba, carrying approximately 170 Cuban officials and Pan-American congress delegates to Mariel, a picturesque port west of Havana and noted in Cuban history as the turning point in Cuba's fight for freedom.

The United States was represented at the luncheon by Charles Evans Hughes, who had been waiting for the delegates to arrive. Judge Morgan J. O'Brien and Leo P. Rowe, director general of the Pan-American union, The American party had preceded the ships by motor car and were waiting at the landing at Mariel when the rest of the party landed.

VILLAGE MAYOR FREED ON CHARGE OF BLACK MAIL

Cleveland, Ohio, January 31.—(AP)—"Battling Tom" O'Malia, recently elected mayor of Linndale village, assumed his executive post tonight freed of charges of black mail.

Out in Tom's bailiwick is where the roundhouses and "hard guys" abound, but none of the latter professions to be any "harder" than the new Linndale mayor. O'Malia waited for an hour in court today for John Bourne, prosecuting witness, to appear.

The charges were dismissed when Bourne failed to show up.

DETROIT MAN VICTIM OF THEFT IN ATLANTA

C. J. Hickey, of Detroit, had to come all the way to Atlanta to get a taste of the modern day's crime wave. Hickey lost a suit case, containing a quantity of wearing apparel and \$80 in cash Tuesday morning to a sneak thief in the Terminal station, according to Detroit detectives.

Georgians also fared badly Tuesday. Mrs. M. C. Farrar of Bainbridge, who is stopping at the Henry Grady hotel, reported the theft of a 15-stone diamond pin and a diamond ring. J. H. Williams, of 280 Decatur street, lost 1,000 cigarettes and 25 cigars. Miss William Landry, of 287 Boulevard, S. E., reported the theft of her pocketbook, containing \$2, a gold watch and a diamond ring.

HOTEL CLERK FOUND DEAD ON SIDEWALK

C. A. Carmichael, 25, day clerk at the Martinique hotel, was found dead on the sidewalk on West Peachtree street near Fourteenth street shortly after 9 o'clock Tuesday night by J. C. Beall, of 1228 West Peachtree street. Beall immediately notified police, but when the ambulance arrived, Mr. Carmichael was pronounced dead and his body was taken to the Blanchard Brothers' undertaking parlors. Coroner Patrick Donohue received an inquest will be held today.

Call Officers, W. D. Wallace and W. M. Holland said that there were papers, money and other personal belongings found intact, and that they were of the opinion that death was the result of natural causes.

MAN SHOT BY WIFE SLIGHTLY BETTER

T. M. Fellers, construction foreman with the Georgia Power company, who was mistreated by his wife and shot by his wife early Saturday morning, was a very comfortable day at Davis-Fisher sanitarium Tuesday and seemed slightly better Tuesday night, according to hospital attendants.

TEE PEE FLASHES ISSUE MAKES BOW

The current issue of Tee Pee Flash, magazine of the Texas & Pacific railroad, edited by J. B. Shores, general agent with offices at 217 Healey building, is off the press. The issue is being distributed in the value of the commercial onion crop and on success of Tennessee farmers in realizing heavily on their crops.

The method of bookkeeping employed by The Constitution Publishing company, as revealed by the financial statements furnished to Lea and Caldwell, at their request, as the basis of the negotiations and with respect to which the parties were in controversy, was never intended to have the construction now sought to be placed upon it by Messrs. Lea and Caldwell. If the contract could be so construed, the minds of the parties have never met, and no valid contract resulted.

Howells Real Parties.

"The Howells are the real parties at interest in the suit brought against you by Messrs. Lea and Caldwell. They respectfully request that you bring to the attention of the court their contentions, and that you make application to the court for them to be made parties to the cause, with the right to defend said suit.

"This statement is submitted without prejudice to any issues involved in the litigation, and without prejudice to any defenses that the Howells may have.

Respectfully yours,

"CLARK HOWELLS," "ALBERT HOWELLS, JR.," "ALBERT HOWELLS."

FLANDERS POPPIES FORM HAIG'S BIER

London, January 31.—(AP)—Field Marshal Earl Haig will at his own expressed desire be buried at Remembrance, his estate in Scotland, bought for him by a grateful country after the world war. Interment will be preceded by a military funeral, organized by the war office in London and a funeral service in Westminster abbey.

This national tribute will take the form of a solemn Flanders poppy pageant, typifying the devotion of the field marshal to his comrades of the world war. It was Lady Haig's wish that all wreaths and floral tributes should consist of Flanders poppies, the sale of which would swell the funds of the soldier organizations. This request has met with an immediate and large response.

Body To Lie in State.

The body will lie in state at St. Columba's church, with which Earl Haig was long connected, under a guard of honor day and night until Friday morning.

Then there will be a private requiem in the same church for the family and immediate friends, after which the funeral procession will leave the church for Westminster. The route of march will pass Constitution Hill, the Mall, Horse Guards' arch and Whitehall to the Abbey, this being the line of march associated for centuries with the country's national life.

After the funeral service the cortege will return and continue by way of Westminster bridge to Waterloo station, where the coffin will be placed on a train for Remembrance.

CAPONE BROTHERS DEFY OUSTER EDICT

New Orleans, January 31.—(AP)—The police campaign to rid the city of undesirable characters with undiminished vigor today, again enmeshing among scores of others Ralph and Albert Capone, brothers of "Scarface Al" Capone, Chicago gang leader.

The Capone brothers, with Leo Raggio and Mike Raymond, all of whom were arrested on bonds aggregating \$100 for their appearance in recorder's court Saturday. They were discharged from that court when arraigned on similar charges yesterday, for lack of evidence.

Others arrested were held as suspicious characters or were ordered to leave the city.

GRiffin PRESIDENT OF CLEARING HOUSE

Griffin, Ga., January 31.—(Special)—E. H. Griffin, vice president of the Savings bank of Griffin, has been elected president of the Griffin Clearing House association. P. E. Arnall, vice president of the First National bank, was elected vice president. Lyle Edwards is secretary and Lyndon Patterson is treasurer.

Griffin banks have approximately \$2,000,000 on deposit and are all in a flourishing condition.

Atlanta, Georgia Assume Leadership in Business, And Industry in the South

Eight-Year Record Broken in Sixth Federal Reserve District, Monthly Report Shows.

While the rest of the country was singing a mournful song of sixpence and hoping that the new year could bring better economic and business conditions, the southeast, under the leadership of Georgia and Atlanta, hung up a record for 1927 to shoot at, according to the monthly report of the Sixth Federal Reserve bank, just made public.

The record broken during last December had stood in the six states comprising the district for eight years, the report sets forth. Virtually every phase of business and industry in the district controlled by the Atlanta Federal Reserve bank showed substantial gains.

Of all the cities included in the six states reporting to the district review, Atlanta stood far ahead. Georgia likewise led the other states in the district in agricultural and commercial gains.

Peak Reached.

"The volume of retail trade in the sixth district," the report states, "reached a peak for the year in December, and was greater than for any month for which statistics are available. The average for the district was an increase of 6.8 per cent over the high point reached in December a year ago.

Atlanta was at the forefront among southern cities reporting for December, with an increase of 3.2 per cent over December, 1926, and a net increase of 15.9 over the entire year of 1926. Nashville ranked second with an increase of 12.9 over December a year ago, while Birmingham, with a relative increase of 3.2; New Orleans, with an increase of 3.2; and New Orleans, with an increase of 1.7 were in the order named.

Wholesale trade in Atlanta, while recording a slight decrease in December as compared with November, 1927, showed an increase of 1 per cent in the sale of groceries over December, 1926.

Dry goods, hardware and furniture wholesale trade likewise registered decreases during December compared with the preceding month, but the general result of the survey was to the effect that, as a whole, the final month of 1927 was one for optimistic consideration in this section of the country.

Farm Production Gains.

Georgia's agricultural yield for 1927 indicated an increased production of \$39,000,000 in principal crops, as compared with the previous year. Speaking of agricultural production in Georgia, the report says:

"Principal crops produced in Georgia in 1927 show an increase in value over 1926 of \$38,000,000, or 18.4 per cent. Cotton is responsible for \$28,500,000 of this increase, while corn, sweet potatoes, tobacco, watermelons, peaches and peanuts also showed increases.

Total savings deposits at the end of December reported to the Federal Reserve bank by 85 banks located throughout the district were 1.1 per cent greater than a month earlier, according to the survey, and were 8.1 per cent greater than at the close of December, 1926.

Banks in Atlanta reported savings deposits for December of \$44,135,000 against \$42,849,000 in November—a net increase of 3 per cent for that comparative month, while contrasted

to savings deposits of December, 1926, an increase of 17.4 was noted. The previous year's figures for December indicated deposits of only \$37,505,000 in this city.

Of the entire country's 12 federal reserve districts, the Atlanta bank recorded that throughout the entire six states there were only 131 commercial failures during December, 1927. This figure, while being higher than during November, was considerably smaller than the districts of Boston, which had 202 failures; New York, with 407 failures; Cleveland, 392; Chicago, 319; San Francisco, 258, and several others.

In Atlanta during December 236 building permits were issued, according to the report, representing a total value of \$24,726, as compared with 133 during December, 1926, with a value of \$389,029—an increase of 86.3 per cent.

RADIO SUCCESSFUL IN SENDING PHOTOS

New York, January 31.—(United News)—Photographs of President Coolidge and Colonel Lindbergh were broadcast here by radio on WOR.

The electrical impulses which, when picked up by suitable telephoto receiving apparatus, produce copies of the broadcast photographs were made here from the original photographs and from phonograph records of similar impulses. The system used was that developed by Austin G. Cooley, radio engineer.

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MORMON LEADER HINTS BURIAL PLOT

Salt Lake City, Utah, January 31.—(P)—The recent finding of the graves of Joseph Smith, founder of Mormonism, and his brother, Hyrum, at Nauvoo, Ill., today was characterized as an effort for "sensational effect," by Joseph Fielding Smith, grandson of Hyrum and official historian of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints (Mormons).

Denial was made by Smith that the original burial place of the two brothers, who were killed by a mob in 1844, had even been a "mystery." Official church records contained explicit descriptions of the spot, he said.

Bodies found in a deserted house in the basement of a deserted house in Nauvoo. The grave was discovered by W. O. Hand, a Kansas City civil engineer and member of the reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints, which is headed by Frederick M. Smith, grandson of Joseph Smith.

"These sacred remains should not have been disturbed and taken to a desecrated spot," he said, "but they were taken to a desecrated spot."

The bodies were located January 18 in the basement of a deserted house in Nauvoo. The grave was discovered by W. O. Hand, a Kansas City civil engineer and member of the reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints, which is headed by Frederick M. Smith, grandson of Joseph Smith.

RUM SHIP CHIEF SEIZED IS RESCUE MAY GET PARDON

Victoria, B. C., January 31.—(United News.)—The action of Captain Robert Pamphlett in going to the rescue of a sinking ship and thereby bringing about his arrest on rum-running charges may result in an appeal to President Coolidge on Pamphlett's behalf.

The British Columbia legislature voted today to urge Dominion authorities to make such an appeal and ask Pamphlett's pardon from the charges on which he now is serving a two-year sentence in the United States penitentiary at McNeil Island.

Coolidge Are Guests.

Washington, January 31.—(P)—President and Mrs. Coolidge were dinner guests tonight of Postmaster General and Mrs. New.

SCHEDULE CHANGES Atlanta & West Point R. R.

Effective Sunday, February 5th, Train No. 35 will leave Atlanta for Montgomery and New Orleans at 5:40 a. m. Train No. 31 will leave Atlanta for Montgomery at 8:25 a. m. Train No. 40 will arrive from Montgomery at 2:05 p. m.

24 Hours Ends COLDS

A "common cold" may result in grippe or flu. At the very first sign, go to a drug store and get a box of HILL'S. Take promptly. HILL'S breaks up a cold in 24 hours because it does the four vital things at once—stops the cold, checks the fever, opens the bowels and tones the system. Red box, 30 cents.

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Thousands have found relief from rheumatism by using the famous old prescription, Pazo Ointment. A teaspoonful taken three times a day relieves pain and swelling. It drives out acid out of the system and dissolves the lactic acid which causes the painful swelling in the joints. Sold by druggists for 15 cents. EIMER & AMEND, 200 Third Ave., New York.

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Another remedy for headache, try Anti-Kamia Tablets—pain's greatest enemy—the standard of them all. Prescribed by doctors and dentists the world over for more than 25 years. 10¢ a box. Tablets quickly banish pains of all kinds: also indigestion and nervousness by promoting restful sleep. 25 million used annually. Druggists everywhere sell Anti-Kamia Tablets in handy, fast-dissolving form. A-K on every tablet.

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Personal Comment By Mrs. Loree Welch

MOVIE INDUSTRY BOARD CONSIDERS NEW AGREEMENT

Chicago, January 31.—A standardized contract acceptable to all moving picture producers, their agencies and independent exhibitors is under consideration here by six arbitrators representing producer and exhibitor factions of the industry. Three other arbitrators representing exhibitors affiliated with producers are sitting in at the session.

Arbitration was agreed upon last year following an investigation into the affairs of the Famous Players-Lasky corporation. The conference here is expected to develop a definite code of principles which will eliminate many unfair trade practices.

Richness, Harmony Feature Hampton Singers' Concert

Reminiscences of the old south were brought to the new south in negro folk songs Tuesday night by the Hampton Institute colored glee club, under the direction of Dr. R. Nathaniel Dett, director of music at the institute.

The entire repertoire of the chorus was well received by both the white and colored audience, which was smaller than had been expected, due to the unfavorable weather.

Dr. Dett demonstrated his ability to create a well-coordinated instrumental accompaniment, the orchestra, numbers being rendered by Dr. Dett at the piano and a group of violinists, as well as saxophones.

Of the English folk songs the audience heard "The Turtle Dove," of Cornish origin, and were lulled to mesmerization by the peculiar harmony of "Drinks To Me Only With Thine Eyes."

Armless Wonder To Pilot Dodge Through Traffic

Demonstrating the remarkable ease with which the new Dodge Senior Line six may be steered, Forest Layman, the "Armless Wonder," one of the features in "A Night at Coney Island," headlining act at Loew's Grand theater today to the city hall in the midst of heavy traffic, using only his feet to steer the car.

Layman will leave the front of the theater at 11 o'clock this morning and will pilot the car to the city hall, where he will be met and greeted by Mayor L. B. Ragsdale. The Dodge Senior Line 6 is being furnished by the Lambeth Exquisite Motor company, local dealers.

The exhibition is slated to be a remarkable test of the steering facility of the automobile, and also a demonstration of the extraordinary ability of the "armless wonder," one of the many sensational freaks in the Loew headlining turn this week.

While driving today around 11 o'clock between Loew's Grand theater and the city hall had better keep their eyes on the automobile in front of them, Manager Thomas H. Jones, of Loew's theater, said, "for that automobile may be the one driven by the 'armless wonder.' Not that he isn't skilled in driving, but that having both hands on the steering wheel, he can't very well signal his turns to following cars."

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Arbitration was agreed upon last year following an investigation into the affairs of the Famous Players-Lasky corporation. The conference here is expected to develop a definite code of principles which will eliminate many unfair trade practices.

GROCERS' ASSOCIATION OFFICERS ARE HONORED

John Coode, of Nashville, Tenn., president, Charles H. Janssen, of St. Paul, secretary-treasurer, and H. G. Peterson, of East Chicago, Ind., director of the National Association of Retail Grocers, were honor guests and principal speakers at a mass meeting of local food dealers and grocers Tuesday night in the hall of the local food dealers' association in the Throver building.

Francis E. Kamper, a former president of the National Association of Retail Grocers, presided at the meeting.

The national officials of the association are en route to Birmingham, Ala., where they will formulate plans for the national convention which will be held in the early summer.

More than 100 local food dealers were present at the mass meeting, including officials of the Georgia Retail Food Dealers' association. Among the officers present were H. C. Kleiman and J. F. Monsee, president and secretary, respectively, of the state association. They are both of Savannah, Ga.

MURDER CHARGED TO THREE NEGROES

With the return of indictments charging murder to four negroes previously sentenced on burglary counts, the electric chair threatened Tuesday to terminate long prison terms after the four last week in Fulton superior court.

Three of the negroes, Will Gilliam, Ed Capers and Will Calhoun, entered guilty pleas on burglary charges last week and were sentenced to 20 years each by Judge E. D. Thomas, while the fourth, Albert Calhoun, was convicted and sentenced by a jury to from 12 to 20 years.

The murder charges against the quartet developed after they had received burglary sentences and were the outcome of a confession obtained from one of the negroes to the murder of Pat Daugherty, aged negro, the solicitor's office said.

According to the indictment, the negroes yielded Daugherty on Vanita street November 20, last, and shot him to death. All four were charged in the burglary counts with shooting and injuring John W. Nalors, a white man, while attempting to hold up a store on Sylvan avenue some months ago.

Police say the negroes are members of a band whose activities resulted in a pre-Christmas wave of burglaries last year.

FALL IN ELEVATOR SHAFT IS FATAL TO NEGRO PORTER

Missed by his employers since 3 o'clock in the afternoon, Jack Ferguson, a porter in a local hotel, was found dead at the bottom of an elevator shaft at 6 o'clock Tuesday afternoon when the head bell boy in-coming to the report of Patrolman W. C. Hardy.

The negro porter's head was crushed as if he had fallen several floors, while the freight elevator was at the fifth floor, where he had left it, according to police. The belief was expressed that the porter had fallen into the shaft after he had left the elevator, forgetting that he had left it on the floor above. The body was turned over to David T. Howard, undertaker, and the coroner was notified.

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TUDOR—"Is That Nice?"

NEIGHBORHOOD MOVIES—PALACE—"The Taxi Dancer."

PONCE DE LEON—"The Tiger's."

WEST END—"Fast and Furious."

Erlanger.

Richard Bennett, the eminent American actor who has been making the title role in "The Barker," probably one of the tensest and most stirring dramas the stage has known in many years, is delighting large audiences at the Erlanger theater where it will be seen throughout the current week.

Charles L. Wagner, producer, has given this play a splendid cast. Seats for all performances may be had at the Erlanger box office and at Phillips & Crew piano company.

TUG SAVES ONE BARGE. LOST TWO IN STORM

New York, January 31.—(United News.)—Towing one barge and its crew of four rescued at the height of Sunday's storm off Barnegat Light, the tug Baldrock arrived tonight after futile efforts to save two others with eight men aboard.

The barges, from Norfolk, Va., were in tow by the tug but broke loose in the fury of the gale and sank before the Baldrock could offer help. Handicapped by high seas, the tug's captain and crew stood by, powerless to render assistance.

CRIPPLED VESSEL SAFE IN PORT.

New London, Conn., January 31.—(United News.)—A coast guard search for the Norwegian freighter Arica, which went out on a S O S Friday morning, ended today when the vessel arrived safely with its worst damage repaired.

Keith's Georgia.

There's a clever little dancer, Muriel Kaye, at the Keith's Georgia, who has an act that is filled with class and talent. Miss Kaye has the assistance of three young men and the act is meeting the approval of the usual Georgia audience. On the screen is "The Gay Retreat," Sammy Cohen and Ted McNamara have never been so better advantage than in "The Gay Retreat."

Capitol.

You've heard the "Two Black Crows" records of Moran and Mack? In fact, nearly everybody has. Moran and Mack are inimitable in blackface comedy, but they are not alone in presenting the burlesque in original form. For Ted Rawls, who heads the current bill at the Capitol theater, is one of the cleverest exponents of this type of comedy. A local stage has seen. His delivery and voice inflection are total unlike those of any other "negro" comedian and his antics are a real pleasure. Four other comedians are featured in addition to the delightful little comedy, "Publicity Madness," starring Lois Moran and Edmund Lowe, on the screen.

Loew's Grand.

Fifteen famous freaks who have appeared for years as the featured attractions of the side shows of the world's biggest circuses are in "A Night at Coney Island" at Loew's Grand theater this week. Some of those performing in the turn are the armless wonder, Ajax, the sword swallower, the spider boy, "Cuckoo" the bird girl, Albert-Alberta, half man, half woman, and others. The Loew feature picture is the comedy scream, "Baby Mine," with Karl Dane and George K. Arthur as chief comedians, assisted by Charlotte Greenwood.

Howard.

Emil Jennings, the world's greatest character, gives us another great masterpiece in "The Last Command." The current attraction at the Howard theater is by far the greatest characterization of the star's career, despite the fact that "The Way Of All Flesh" was considered one of the best pictures of 1927. This week's stage attraction features Ray Teal and the Howard stage orchestra in John Murray Anderson's Public presentation, "Joy Belles," this part of the program is a real treat for the audience. Brothers, Scotty Weston, Charlotte Aren and the Masceno Ballet.

Metropolitan.

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HICKMAN'S LAWYERS TRACE MURDER CAUSE

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He had prepared at length for the forensic engagement and when he didn't win they reported him to have replied: "I'm not good for anything, I guess."

He lost interest in his high school club until finally he was asked to resign. He swore a bit at that and wrote a nasty note, the testimony says.

Then Hickman neglected his studies, but managed to graduate with honors. He decided to enter a ministerial college, changed his mind and collected tickets at a dance hall, instead.

Employed by Jeweler.

Subsequently he worked at a leather shop, a jewelry store, as a theater usher and as a car salesman. This repeated failure to find a life work convinced Don Johnston, 20, that Hickman was insane.

State's Attorney Costello's question brought out that Johnston "had really not thought much about it until after Marian Parker's death and only after he talked to Charles Edwards, former chief of Kansas City police."

Baylor Sutton, another Kansas City youth, deposed that Hickman once returned from California and didn't seem extra glad to see him.

This lack of cordiality set Hickman off as an insane person. Sutton, like the others, decided Hickman was insane but under questioning admitted the slayer probably knew the difference between right and wrong.

Other Youths Testify.

Boiled down, the test of insanity by California law is the ability or inability to determine between right and wrong.

Joe Tiffany, Howard Lee Hibbs and several other Central High youths deposed to the school boy defense testimony. Hibbs brought "the woman" into the case by deposing that Hickman and an unnamed girl saw each other less often during his year, this wasn't interpreted as a sign of insanity but Hickman's general attitude was the weather cock for Hibbs' defense.

Depositions collected by Attorney R. B. Matlock's Assham team finished the entire day's action. Resuming with the history of the Hickman family, the mother and father of the slayer were spared nothing in this testimony.

Tell of Father's Faults.

The testimony went on to Mrs. Eva Hickman's record at an Arkansas state asylum, included the alleged faithfulness of her divorced husband, Tom Hickman, El Paso railroad worker, and finally came to the boy's own trial.

It was a long trail of evidence submitted by the depositions and peculiarly enough the very personalities of the witnesses seemed transported from middle-western towns to the courtroom.

Spence Lane, a retired contractor of Hartford, Conn., deposed that Otto Buck, mother's Assham, was a "kind of nutty." He "allowed as how" Buck used to get spells and "chaw around a lot" and "recollections" that the nephew of Marian Parker's slayer never seemed "all there."

Buck finally married "a widder woman's daughter" and they had a "load of trouble," Lane said.

The official documents of the state insane asylum at Little Rock found their way into the record.

Testimony of Dr. H. P. Routh and W. C. Chamberlain, both living in Hartford at the time, resulted in Mrs. Hickman's commitment to the institution in 1913 by Judge Ira Hester.

The records of the asylum showed that Mrs. Hickman was morose. She frequently threatened to commit suicide and different times designed against the life of her entire family.

Depositions of Dr. L. R. Brown, superintendent of the institution, did not carry such from substantiation of Mrs. Hickman's ailment.

She was suffering from a mental depression, he said, but he was quite sure she was legally sane since she realized the difference between right and wrong.

Was Insane at Times.

Dr. Brown, now a resident of Tulsa, concurred in the belief that Mrs. Hickman was insane at times. He said he believed she suffered from a form of dementia praecox. This might have resulted from the birth of William Edward Hickman, he said.

Tom Hickman, divorced father of the slayer, again found himself under fire here. Routh said that he had been in association with other women and in neglecting Mrs. Hickman might have had much to do with her condition.

This testimony was a real treat for the audience. Brothers, Scotty Weston, Charlotte Aren and the Masceno Ballet.

RECORD SET OTTO MEETS AS DAVIS CUP ENTRIES CLOSE

Paris, January 31.—(United News.) Davis cup entries closed today with a record total of 32 nations, six of which have elected to play in the American zone elimination. The others will compete in the European zone for the right to challenge France, holder of the coveted cup.

At the minute New Zealand and India entered in the European zone and Cuba in the American.

President Doumergue of France, carrying on the tradition established by President Coolidge, will hold the draw for the matches in the Elvisee, the French "white house," on Friday afternoon. Diplomatic representatives of all the competing nations will attend.

Only Russia will be missing from the great powers of the world in entry list, which follows: United States, China, Mexico, Japan, Canada, Cuba, European zone: Austria, Australia, South Africa, Belgium, Chile, Germany, Finland, Great Britain, Greece, Holland, Hungary, Italy, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Philippines, Argentina, Switzerland, Yugoslavia, Czechoslovakia, Denmark, Sweden, Ireland, Sweden, New Zealand, India.

Because of the necessity of finishing the challenge round before Paris grows too hot and the Parisian population deserts the capital for the mountains and the seashore, the French committee has ordered all first-round matches completed by May eighth.

The second round must end by May 20, the third by June 13, the semi-finals by June 24, and the "cup" final by July 15.

The interzone finals will be played the three days beginning July 20, and the Davis cup challenge round, the three days beginning July 27.

France will defend the cup against the winner of the American-European zone final.

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Chicago, January 31.—(P)—Being a doctor of philosophy, Dr. Otto Peltzer, noted German runner, left for New York today hopeful that his differences with the Amateur Athletic union over participation in American track meets would be smoothed out some way.

The A. A. U. order to come to New York and talk over the situation was the net which strained the doctor's philosophical attitude to the limit. It was not clear to him, he said, why he could not run in races, he chose to stay and stay out of those meets in which he did not wish to participate.

Having at last obtained the permission of his own German sports federation to run three races in this country as an incident in his tour of observation of American scholastic methods, Dr. Peltzer said he would much rather choose his own running conditions.

Fearing a battery of moving picture cameras he worked out today at the Illinois Athletic club, where he has promised to run in the 1,000 yard sprint starts, 500 and short sprints.

If he has his way Dr. Peltzer said he would run in the Illinois A. C. meet here February 10, the Illinois A. C. meet at New York February 20.

Babe Ruth's popularity can no longer be challenged. The other day he played saxophone and got away with it.

ERLANGER

ATLANTA'S PLAYS ARE BEAUTIFUL. POP. TODAY Best Seats \$1.65. TONIGHT AND ALL WEEK. CHARLES L. WAGNER. In Association with Edgar Selwyn Presents. RICHARD THE BENNETT BARKER. The Dramatic Sensation. By KENYON NICHOLSON. ROMANCE - INTRIGUE - SUSPENSE - THRILLS! (Prices including Tax) Get Your Seats Today. Seats \$1.50 to \$5.00. Tickets at Erlanger Box Office and at Phillips & Crew.

\$50,000 TOP PRIZE IN NEW ORLEANS 'CAP

New Orleans, La., January 31.—Announcement that the field of probable starters for the fourth renewal of the New Orleans handicap at the fair grounds of the Louisiana Jockey club on February 3 would be as large as the field for the \$50,000 winner's purse last year was made today by Racing Secretary Joseph McLeann. This means that a field of 20 of the country's leading thoroughbreds will accept the issue.

It also means that the gross purse for the race will be in the neighborhood of \$80,000, the largest all-gate handicap distribution ever made in the United States. This total will be reached from the \$50,000 which goes to the winner, and which is given by the Louisiana Jockey club; from the \$2,800 which is the total of nomination fees from the 112 horses which were named eligible for the race; from the \$2,800 which will be divided among the second, third and fourth horses on a 60, 20 and 10 percent basis, this means that second money of \$17,280; the horse coming third will receive \$5,760, and the fourth horse \$2,880.

It is in these figures that the reason for the large field is to be found—if as large a field as expected is to start, there are no other stakes being run this winter in the United States which purport to be for the second, third and fourth horses, any one of which is well worth striving for.

In addition to this, a \$52,500 gold cup will be awarded to the victor, which cup will display on each of the two handles the portrait bust of the winning horse in solid gold. These purses that go to the victor and attached to the cup after the race.

Next Mon. Mail Orders Now Positively Farewell Tour of

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Company of 100. Symphony Orchestra. Warning—Don't wait until the last minute to get seats. If you do, you will not be able to get them.

LOEW'S GRAND

Continued in 11 P. M. NOW PLAYING THE COMEDY SENSATION—BABY MINE. starring KARL GEORGEK, DANE ARTHUR. Funnier Than "ROOKIES". On the Stage "A Night at Coney Island". Coney Island Charlie "The Barker" and his Congress of Living Freaks. Other Acts.

PONCE DE LEON

AT BOULEVARD TODAY—JACK ROBT IN "THE TIGRESS". THURSDAY-FRIDAY CAMILLE TALMADGE. TENTH STREET THEATRE TODAY—ADOLPHE MENJOU "A GENTLEMAN OF PARIS". THURS—"ROBIN HOOD".

TONIGHT PADEREWSKI

Auspices Atlanta Music Club Auditorium-Armory 8:30 P. M. Prices—\$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00, \$4.00.

PALACE

INMAN PARK Direction: Lucie & Jenkins "THE TAXI DANCER". WITH JOAN CRAWFORD & OWEN MOORE THURS-FRI—"CHANG".

TUDOR

Today Thursday GEORGE O'HARA IN "IS THAT NICE?" "SHOULD HUSBANDS PAY?" "THE BOOTH CONFESSION". 10c Matinee. 10c Night.

JUGGERNAUT

By Alice Campbell

SYNOPSIS.

Esther Rowe, a young nurse, having accompanied an invalid from the United States to Cannes on the Riviera, is about to return directly to New York when she sees an advertisement in the paper for a nurse and doctor's assistant and she decides to apply for the job, in order to spend a little time in Cannes.

While waiting for an answer to her application to Dr. Sartorius, Esther treats herself to tea at the fashionable Restaurant des Ambassadeurs.

INSTALLMENT III.

AN INTERESTING COUPLE.

Esther's own slender, well-shod feet would do more than pass muster here, she reflected with satisfaction. Indeed, although she was more plainly dressed than most of the women present, she rejoiced to feel she did not suffer too much by comparison. Esther was never dowdy. She was not ashamed of her well-tailored costume, maroon in color—which went well with her eyes and hair—nor of her little new felt hat, purchased in Paris. Her small "choker" fur was of good stone marten, even her gloves and the handkerchief peeping from her pocket had the correct touch. Trifles, perhaps, but trifles that mattered. She made "good money," and she had always found it paid to dress well and carefully. . . . Of course, she would not be able to buy clothes on her salary from Dr. Sartorius—but what did it matter, for six months or so? It was surely worth a sacrifice to remain in France. Besides, she had a little saved up.

The doctor . . . that rather odd, cold creature. The prospect of working for him did not fill her with enthusiasm. What exactly was it she felt about him? She strove to analyze her impression, and found herself thinking only of dull eyes, and queer, flat forehead. . . . He was an able man, no charlatan, of that she was sure, instinctively. Primarily a student, no doubt. What was his practice like, if indeed, he had any? Not a good manner for a doctor, too remote, too negative, too lacking in humanity.

"For a moment, I felt positively creepy," she told herself. "What was it he reminded me of? Something that fascinated and repelled, or am I merely imagining things?"

After all, what did it matter? She always got on well with people. . . . "My Dinah's gone to Carolina. My Dinah's gone and broke my heart in two."

Lonesome and blue, Esther thought. "I'm around a-foelin' like I had the flu."

From the region of the saxophones a gorgeous baritone had soared forth. The song, one of the mournful type now emanating from Broadway, was the last word in beauty, but the honeyed voice, suave, insinuating, gave it the charm of a narcotic. Even the waiters stopped where they were, and gazed as they listened, transfixed.

Conversation died, the great room was stilled to drink in the notes. A storm of applause, the chorus was repeated, once, twice. Then fell a moment's lull, and ordinary sounds began again.

It was at this moment that, teapot in hand, Esther heard close to her elbow the choking sound of a woman's sob.

It startled her so that she very nearly looked around, curious to see the person who was so moved by the sentimental tribute to the lost Dinah.

Then she was glad she had not turned for she caught these words, low, passionate, distinct.

"Arthur, if you go away from me, as you speak of doing, I think, likely, I shall kill myself."

Good heavens! The woman, whoever she was, said it as if she meant it. It was no joking voice, it's owner was deeply moved. She was evidently French, though her English was nearly flawless, the accent a mere flavor. Esther recalled that a man and woman had taken the table on her right and a little behind her. She longed to look at them, but controlled her impulse, out of curiosity to hear more. There was a silence that seemed interminable. Then the woman spoke again, her voice vibrant, urgent.

"You heard me? Why don't you answer? Why? Ah! My God, it is like heating against a stone wall!"

At last a man's voice, low, cold, and a little sulky.

"What do you want me to say, Theresa? You know as well as I do I've got to live."

"Ah, but it is that the reason—the only reason for your going?"

"Good God, what else would it be? You don't imagine I'd choose to bury myself in a rotten hole like that, do you?"

There was a long sigh, quivering with tears.

"I know how fearfully difficult it all is, only, Arthur, why must you decide at once? Why not wait a bit?"

"If I wait, I lose the job. That's why. I thought you understood. Besides, what is there to hang about here for?"

"Well . . . There's always a chance, isn't there?"

An exclamation of contempt followed.

lowed by the scratch of a match, then again silence, fraught, so Esther felt, with tension. Who, what were these people? She must try and steal a glance at them. Cautiously she turned her head, then finding both the occupants of the next table were looking the other way, she indulged in a good inspection.

The woman claimed her attention first. Young—a very young 25, Esther decided. Her face was of delicate transparency, and lovely; her natural beauty was accentuated by careful makeup and clothes so exquisite that they could be called "elegant" without a misuse of the word. It seemed evident that she was wealthy. Her gown of filmy black had the cachet of an exclusive house, the expensive simplicity that serves so well as a background for wonderful jewels. Against it gleamed a heavy strand of glistening pearls—"real ones, too!" thought Esther. On one slender arm slid negligently half a dozen diamond bangles, on the hand which supported her chin an enormous square diamond blazed. Her skin, shadowed by her little close black hat, was dazzling; her eyes large, gray, flecked with gold, and shaded by long, dark lashes. Altogether there was about her the clear beauty of a star, which even the traces of emotion now discernible could not dim.

And her companion—what was he like? Esther glanced at him and gave a start. It was the young Englishman who had come out of the doctor's house, the man she had seen before somewhere—he still did not recall where. Studied at close range he revealed points of interest. He was dressed with that perfection of the Englishman of the upper classes so admirably achieved. He was, in fact, unmistakably a gentleman, at least by birth, though his bored manner held a hint of insolence, a suggestion of the boomer. His hazel eyes, glancing about with irritable restlessness, were curiously devoid of any depths, his mouth showed a mixture of weakness and obstinacy, devil-may-care courage, and lack of moral stamina.

An after the war product, no doubt, nervy and jumpy, frayed by stimulants and late hours, and yet, with all this, attractive. Yes, curiously attractive, there was no denying it.

"Waiter—where's that blasted waiter—gone?"

He turned in Esther's direction, and for an instant his eyes met hers and took her in, though with little show of interest. Seeing him full faced she suddenly recalled him. Of course! When she and Miss Ferriss had first arrived they had seen him on two occasions lunching in the Carlton grill, in company with a swarthy, over-dressed Spanish looking woman and her daughter. She remembered now. Shrewd old Miss Ferriss had said about him:

"Esther, that young Englishman over there is very nice looking, but I can tell you what he's all about. He's a rake hound. I can always spot them."

Esther smiled at the recollection. "Waiter, bring me a 'doctor.' Will you? And hold on—what do you want Theresa?"

"Rien—rien du tout. Non, tenez—de la Chine, simplement."

She took care of her looks, that was evident. The waiter gone, Esther saw the Frenchwoman lean across to her companion with an obvious effort of self-control.

"Arthur—tell me once more. What is it, this job you speak of?"

"What, the Argentine? I don't know. The Toda woman wants to take me out there as a sort of manager or something. She sails on the St. Louis, she expects me to go with her."

"Tack I know it!"

The beautiful woman's voice rose shrilly with a strident note which was an odd revelation.

"So that's a langer—ha, ha, ha! But of course, I might have known. It is quite plain. She wants you for herself—the old cow! Naturelle!"

"Ssh, Theresa, for God's sake—"

"Well, isn't it true? What can you do on a ranch? Why does she want you if not for herself? Do you deny it?"

"What's the use of denying anything? You'll believe what you want to believe."

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JIMMY JAMS

THERE GOES MY TEACHER—AN' I KNOW SHE MUST BE THINKIN' OF ME 'CAUSE SHE'S GOT A FROWN ON HER FACE!



SALLY'S SALLIES

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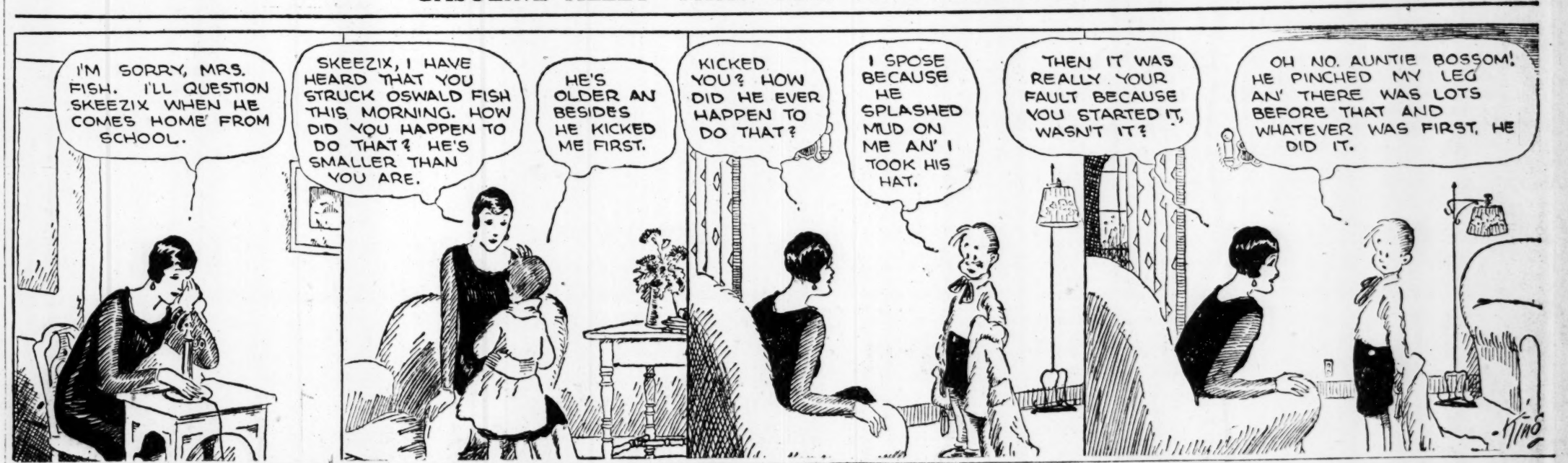


SOMEBODY'S STENOG—"The Best Laid Plans"—

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GASOLINE ALLEY—THAT GOES BACK INTO HISTORY



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SOCIAL ITEMS

Dr. and Mrs. Cliff Brannen announce the birth of a daughter Thursday, January 19, 1928, at Davis-Fischer hospital, who has been given the name of Eria Tullis.

Miss Evelyn Fain has returned to her home, 384 Wellington street, S. W., after an illness at Wesley Memorial hospital.

Mrs. W. L. Parker, of Asheville, N. C., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. W. Aiken.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Merritt are at the Signal Mountain hotel in Chattanooga, Tenn.

Mrs. W. L. Adair is convalescing from a recent illness at the Wesley Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George Russ arrive Sunday from New York to spend a week at the Biltmore. They recently returned from an extended tour of Europe and Mrs. Russ, as Miss Lila Wing, formerly resided in Atlanta.

Mrs. George Venzey has returned to her apartment in the Pershing Point after a stay of two weeks with relatives in Tampa, Fla.

Miss Martha Skelton has returned home after spending the past week in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bentley have returned from a week-end visit to their sister, Mrs. Charles Bentley, in Montgomery, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. O. DeGrady, of Vandalia, Mo., are at the Biltmore hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Smith, of New York, are at the Biltmore hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Distelhorst announce the birth of a daughter, January 13, at Wesley Memorial hospital, who has been given the name of Dorothy Ann. Distelhorst was formerly Miss Ruby Hamilton.

Colonel Edward G. Bell, of Memphis, Tenn., is the guest of his nephew, Frank Deans, at the Atlanta Biltmore hotel.

Charles C. McGehee, a student at Harvard university, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Charles C. McGehee, at her home in the McGehee apartments on Peachtree.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bissell, of South Orange, N. J., are guests at the Biltmore hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Y. Spang, of Reading, Pa., are spending a few days at the Biltmore hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brown Klugh and Misses Klugh, of Chicago, Ill., where they are visiting their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Fleet, at their home on Peachtree circle.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Walter Hughes, of Savannah, are spending several weeks in Atlanta.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Newell Walker, of Savannah, are spending a few days at the Biltmore hotel.

Mrs. Martha Kinney, of Boston, is spending the winter with her niece, Mrs. J. A. Kinney.

Mrs. F. L. Russell will entertain a group of friends informally at tea on Friday, February 9, at the Atlanta Woman's club.

Mrs. Hugh Tuman Bell is in Miami, Fla., visiting Mrs. Bell's sister, Mrs. Julian Bell, and her cousin, Mrs. R. H. McCaw and her cousin, Mrs. R. S. Puntington, of New York city, have arrived in Atlanta to spend February and March at the Georgian Terrace. Mrs. McCaw's husband, an assistant managing editor of the New York Times and is prominently identified with metropolitan journalism.

Mrs. Royal Terrell, of Charlotte, N. C., is visiting her mother, Mrs. L. D. Lewman, at the Georgian Terrace. Mrs. Lewman is convalescing from a recent attack of influenza.

Mrs. Hudson Thomas, of Tampa, Fla., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Carrie B. Veal.

Mrs. A. A. Aiken, who recently underwent an operation at Piedmont sanitarium, is resting comfortably.

Miss Elizabeth Watson has as her guest, Mrs. Treca Davis, of Knoxville, Tenn.

Miss Edythe Coleman returns Wednesday from Miami, Fla., where she has been the guest of Miss Edith Carpenter for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Robert, Jr., are among the Atlanta at the Breakers, Palm Beach, Fla.

Miss Virginia Hewitt and her aunt, Mrs. Rose Kling, left Saturday for a two weeks' visit to Washington and New York, where they will be guests at the Vanderbilt hotel.

Major and Mrs. John S. Cohen are at the Breakers at Palm Beach, Fla.

Mrs. William W. Horne sailed Friday from New York via the S. S. Roma for Naples, Italy, with her mother, Mrs. Richard H. Chapman, of Philadelphia. They will be in Italy and France for three months.

Florida Fair Opens.

Tampa, Fla., January 31.—(P)—Florida products of the farm and factory went on display today when the gates of the South Florida fair were thrown open to the public.

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Miss Richardson Honored at Bridge By Miss Tebbetts

Fort McPherson, Ga., January 31. Miss Dorothy Tebbetts' bridge party Tuesday evening at her quarters at Fort McPherson, in compliment to Miss Sarahellen Richardson, of Philadelphia, Pa. The decorations, table cards and table markers reflected the Valentine motif. Miss Richardson, slender blonde, was a stunning figure of black velvet. Invited to meet were Mesdames Nelson Myle, Glicker, Gans, Samuel C. Harrison, Robert Goetz, Stanley Blanton, Simon Seals, David E. Barnett, Eugene W. Hardee, Srill Faine, Joseph G. Gilbert, Proctor, Cyril Chandler, Albert G. Wing, Marvin W. Peck, Roy Turentine, Robert T. Foster, Misses Lucie Olive Gaines and Margaret Casaday.

Colonel and Mrs. William L. Pyles entertain at dinner Wednesday evening, February 1, at their quarters. Captain and Mrs. Charles Core Gans entertain at dinner Thursday evening, February 2, at their quarters.

Music lovers of the fort motoring into Atlanta to attend the concert given Wednesday evening by Paderewski include Mesdames Melville S. Jarvis, David E. Barnett, Stanley Blanton and Miss Dorothy Tebbetts. Lieutenant and Mrs. John Weir entertained the members of their bridge club at their home in Fort McPherson Tuesday evening, including Lieutenant and Mrs. Robert Foster, Lieutenant and Mrs. I. H. Joffe, Lieutenant and Mrs. Marvin Peck, Lieutenant and Mrs. M. Parsons, Lieutenant and Mrs. Sybil E. Faine.

Pi Kappa Phi's Plan 'Ball of the Nations' For Friday, March 2

The Georgia Tech Iota chapter of Pi Kappa Phi fraternity will give its annual dance at the Biltmore Friday, March 2. The dance given this year will be "The Ball of the Nations" and elaborate plans are being formulated to make this the best dance the fraternity has ever had. Guests will attend dressed in costumes of the nations of the world. This is the first ball of this kind to be given in this section of the country. The members of Iota chapter are Walter Bedard, Charles Brown, Frank Carswell, Albert Cornell, Frank Deans, Frank Fogle, Hall Frye, Rex Gephart, "Valley" Goetz, Cecil Heffer, Donovan George, Marion Moore, Charles Price, Parnell Pafford, Charlie Robertson, Sanders Kowalski, Bobbie Reeves, Eugene Reeves, Albert Watson, Ed White, Otis Wells, Estell Ezell, Mathias Ezell, Charlie Thompson, John Hammond, Dave Nichols. The pledges are Cottrax, Carlton Dougherty, Tom Harris, Baxter Williams, Joe McRee, Jimmie Peters, Dick Adams, Cleve Allen, Leiton Mitchell, Bill and Ed. Bill Luckie, Bryan Oswald, Herb Mayer and Malcolm Reynolds.

\$32,188.302 CHECK IS PAID TO ATLANTA BY POWER COMPANY

Atlanta was \$32,188.32 richer Tuesday when officials of the Georgia Power company deposited with the city a check for that amount. A total of \$28,000.00 was gross receipt taxes during 1927 and the remainder for license and sanitary taxes and for franchise rights. The tax is 3 percent of the gross income.

Receipts were divided as follows: Street railway, \$2,311,512.21; \$56,608,307.06 from the sale of electricity and steam; \$18,325.46 from the Stone Mountain trolley line; and \$2,731,622.23 for collections on credit items. The company paid \$2,400.28 for license and sanitary tax and \$60,442.05 for franchise license.

WELL-KNOWN ATLANTA LAW FIRM DISSOLVED

Dissolution of the law firm of Candler, Thomson & Hirsch, one of the oldest and best known in the city, was announced Tuesday, to become effective today.

Judge John S. Candler, senior member of the firm, and his son, Major Asa Warren Candler, will be associated and will continue the practice of law in the present offices in the Candler building.

W. D. Thomson will also continue practicing and will maintain offices adjoining those of Mr. Candler.

Harold Hirsch, a partner in the Coca-Cola company, will open law offices at 701 Hurt building and will have John P. Stewart, Thomas J. Long and Welborn B. Cody, associates in the old firm, associated with him.

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DAILY CALENDAR OF WOMEN'S MEETINGS

Atlanta Woman's Pioneer society meets at 3 o'clock in the pine room of the Ansley hotel.

Georgia League of Women Voters will hold its board meeting at the Woman's club at 10:30 o'clock. Luncheon will follow at 1 o'clock.

The twelfth ward League of Women Voters meets at the home of Mrs. C. W. Butler, 309 Gordon avenue, N. E., at 3 o'clock.

The Atlanta League of Women Voters, ninth ward, meets at the home of Mrs. Claude McGinnis, 1042 Oakdale Road, at 3 o'clock.

The College Park Woman's club meets at 3 o'clock, at the clubhouse, 718 North Main street.

The Wednesday Morning Study club meets at the home of Mrs. E. T. Booth, 1022 Oakdale Road, at 10:30 o'clock.

Garden Hills Woman's club meets at 2:30 o'clock in the clubroom.

The Modern Topic club meets with Mrs. T. D. Body at her home, 531 Peoples street, S. W., at 10:30 o'clock.

The finance committee of the Y. W. C. A. meets at 10:30 o'clock at the Y. W. C. A. building, 37 Auburn avenue.

The North Side Study club meets at the home of Mrs. H. E. Sanford, Sr., on North Boulevard, this afternoon.

East Atlanta Review, No. 18, meets at 2:30 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. George Mau, 127 Elizabeth street, N. E.

The Bob White Girls Scout troop, of Fort McPherson, meets at 3:30 o'clock in the Officers' club at Fort McPherson.

The Woman's Union Bible club meets at 10 o'clock at Wesley Memorial church.

North Peachtree Road Woman's club meets with Mrs. W. M. Pritchard, No. 10 Pritchard way, at 3 o'clock.

The Peachtree Hills Woman's club meets at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Allen S. Crain, Peachtree Hills avenue.

Baby Health Centers open at Andrew Stewart Nursery and at Grant Park school at 1:30 o'clock.

T. E. L. class of the Oakhurst Baptist church meets in the class room at 2:30 o'clock.

Executive board of the West End Woman's club meets at 3 o'clock at the club.

Atlanta Truth Center meets this morning at 11 o'clock at the Atlanta Biltmore hotel. The evening class meets at 6 o'clock at the Central Congregational church.

The executive board of the Highland P. T. A. meets at the home of Mrs. B. B. Fuchs, 662 Bonaventure, N. E., at 3 o'clock.

The executive board of the Bass P. T. A. meets this morning at 10 o'clock in the library.

Emory P. T. A. meets at 3 o'clock in the school building.

The board of management of the Joseph Habersham chapter, D. A. R., meets at the chapter house at 10 o'clock.

The I. N. Ragsdale P. T. A. meets at 3 o'clock.

Founders' day will be celebrated at the Luckie Street School P. T. A. at 2:30 o'clock in the school auditorium.

The Althean class of the First Baptist church meets at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Daniel J. Gantt, St. Andrew's apartments, 1041 West Peachtree street.

The Helen Gould auxiliary of the Spanish War Veterans meets at 2:30 o'clock at the Atlanta Woman's club at Peachtree street.

Prominent Kentucky Mr. and Mrs. Elder Visitor Is Honored Arrive in the City At Party Series For Residence

Of cordial interest to a host of friends in the city is the arrival in Atlanta of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Elder, who have formerly made their home in Miami, Fla. They will be at home for the present with their mother, M. and Mrs. Sterling J. Elder, on Ponce de Leon avenue.

Mrs. Elder was formerly Miss Ruth Weller, lovely young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Weller, of New York. Her marriage to Mr. Elder was a brilliant event of social importance, taking place last June at the hands of her mother and her parents, "The Gables" at Goshen, N. Y.

Mrs. Elder will be one of the most charming acquisitions to the young matron ranks of society of recent years.

Mr. and Mrs. Elder will arrive in the city Wednesday and motoring from Miami with them will be their mother and sister, Mrs. Sterling Elder and Miss Margaret Elder, who have been their guests for the past two weeks. They will retain their home in Coral Gables where they will spend the greater part of the winter season each year.

J. P. STEWART HEADS MORTGAGE BANKERS

John P. Stewart, prominent Atlanta lawyer, has been elected president of the Mortgage Bankers' association, it was announced Tuesday.

Other officers are: Frank Carter, of the Savings Investment company, president; and J. E. Dickey, Jr., of the Woolford Real estate company, secretary and treasurer.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wight Entertain Belles-LettresCauserie

An interesting affair of Tuesday evening was the informal party at which Mr. and Mrs. Wight entertained members of the Belles-Lettres Causerie at their log cabin home in East Lake. Following the regular meeting of the club, at which each member read an original manuscript, a delightful social hour was enjoyed. The Belles-Lettres Causerie, which was organized more than a year ago by Mrs. Cora Paxton Stewart, conducted with a view to stimulating interest in the field of letters. Mrs. Roger Wilson is official reader of the literary fund.

Among those who read original manuscripts Tuesday evening were Daniel Whitehead Hickey, well-known Atlanta poet; Mrs. Cora Paxton Stewart; Mrs. Theodosia Green and Mrs. Wight. Every member of the Causerie is connected with the Atlanta Writers' club, and gives promise of contributing substantially to the literary fund.

WET STREETS CAUSE MANY CAR CRASHES

J. A. McGhee, of 1035 Marietta street, suffered a broken leg early Tuesday night in an automobile collision on Spring street near Marietta. Several other persons were hurt in a series of automobile crashes on wet streets.

McGhee and F. C. Smith, of 1323 Clement street, Decatur, were talking over the radio in their car, No. 18, Charles avenue, following a collision on Spring street, between their car, when an automobile driven by J. W. Clayton, No. 182 West Peachtree street, struck McGhee's car. They were treated at Grady hospital and Smith was allowed to return home. Clayton went to police station, where he reported that the men were standing in the street and that he could not see them, due to blinding headlights and a drizzling rain and that there was a light hitting on the automobile. The cars of McGhee and Clark were not badly damaged.

An automobile driven by Mrs. Stella R. Dodgen, of 116 North avenue, was struck by a machine driven by O. M. Gardner, of 850 Briarcliff road, on Ponce de Leon avenue. Cases of reckless driving were made against both drivers.

Jesse Goolsby, negro, of 50 Falls avenue, was shaken up when an automobile he was driving was struck by one containing two negroes on Pulam street. Goolsby told police that the two negroes left the scene of the accident immediately after the accident, but the license number of the car was furnished police.

C. Q. Frederick, of 2005 Boulevard drive, was shaken up when his automobile collided with one driven by Robert Jesse Webb, of 421 Robinson street, Decatur, on Culberson street near Gordon street. Both cars were seriously damaged. No cases were made.

TRIO OF NEGROES HELD AS CLEVELAND SLAYERS INDICTED

The trio of negro bandits alleged to have shot to death W. L. Cleveland, manager of a filling station at Houston street and Boulevard avenue, were named in murder indictments returned Tuesday by the Fulton county grand jury.

The trio said to have shot Cleveland in a filling station on January 12 in a daring daylight robbery case, were Jesse Webb, of 421 Robinson street, Decatur, on Culberson street near Gordon street. Both cars were seriously damaged. No cases were made.

Confessions from Taylor and Mapp were obtained on their arrest some days ago, police say, while a whole confession from McCoy has failed to bring him under apprehension.

NEW BAD CHECK CHARGES FACED BY NISSENBAUM

Abie Nissenbaum, under sentence of from five to six years on charges of drawing fraudulent checks, Tuesday was named in five additional indictments on similar counts returned by the Fulton county grand jury.

Bail for Nissenbaum, who has been held at the Tower in default of a \$7,500 bail, was boosted Tuesday to \$12,500. Judge E. D. Thomson said he would reduce the bail from \$12,500 to the lower figure pending hearing on a motion for new trial.

Nissenbaum received the prison sentence following his conviction received by a jury in Fulton superior court. He is one of a dozen against whom indictments have been returned in connection with the death of Bert Donaldson, former chief investment manager in the solicitor's office.

Commissioner Twitty To Purchase 5,000 Quail For Farms in Georgia

Peter S. Twitty, state game and fish commissioner, has placed an order for 5,000 Mexican bol-white quail which will be liberated in Georgia in March. It was announced Tuesday. More than 6,000 Mexican quail were placed on farms in Georgia last year and Commissioner Twitty declared they were wonderful successes as breeders.

The Mexican bird is virtually the same as the Georgia bird and crosses successfully with the Georgia bird. It was stated. It is more prolific, however, raising coveys of from 20 to 30 small quail and two coveys a season are frequently produced.

It is the desire of the commissioner to place these Mexican quail in sections where the native quail is scarce.

Persons desiring Mexican quail should write the department of game and fish at once, as no orders will be filled unless application is filed with the commissioner on or before February 15.

MISSING BOY FOUND

Robert Wilson, 13, lost since Friday, located in Jacksonville.

Robert Wilson, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Wilson, of 384 Dargan place, who has been missing since last Friday, has been located in Jacksonville, Fla., according to messages received by his parents. The youth is being detained at police headquarters in Jacksonville, pending the arrival of his parents, who left Atlanta Tuesday morning. He was taken into custody with another Atlanta youth, George Baker.

DAILY CALENDAR OF SOCIAL EVENTS

The marriage of Miss Bessie Virginia White and Joel Chandler Harris III will take place at 9 o'clock at St. Mark's Methodist church.

Ignace Jan Paderewski appears in concert this evening at the city auditorium under the auspices of the Atlanta Music club.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Evans will entertain at a bridge party in honor of Miss Dolly Hart and Toulman Hurt.

Debutante night dinner-dance at the Atlanta Biltmore.

Concert dance at the Ansley hotel rathskeller.

The Pi Pi Sorority meets at 3 o'clock with Miss Nellie Hollowell at her home on North Decatur road.

The state board of the League of Women Voters entertains at a luncheon at 12:30 o'clock at the Woman's club, honoring Miss Jeannette Rankin, of Athens.

Miss Margaret Nelson will entertain at luncheon at her home on Fifteenth street, honoring Miss Dolly Hart, bride-elect.

The marriage of Miss Agnes Marshall and William McNeal Darden will be solemnized at 4:30 o'clock at the Church of Epiphany.

The executive board of the Atlanta chapter, U. D. C., entertains at a luncheon at 12:30 o'clock at the chapter house, Juniper and Sixth streets.

A "Georgia Products" luncheon will be served at 12:30 o'clock at the clubrooms of the Civic Club of West End.

Informal talks for members of the Atlanta Art association begin this afternoon at the High museum of art.

B. P. O. E. Elks, No. 78, entertains at 3:30 o'clock at the new clubhouse, 736 Peachtree street.

Mrs. C. S. Carnes will be hostess at a bridge luncheon at her home on Fairview road in compliment to Miss Aralia Stewart, a bride-elect of Saturday.

Colonel and Mrs. William L. Pyles entertain at dinner this evening at their quarters at Fort McPherson.

Mrs. W. E. Haselton and Mrs. Arthur S. Harris entertain at a bridge-luncheon at the home of Mrs. Harris, in Decatur, honoring Mrs. Westbrook Daniel, of New York.

Miss Thelma Mae Huggins will be hostess at a dinner party at the Atlanta Biltmore hotel in compliment to Mrs. B. P. Dickinson, of Louisville, Ky.

Mrs. Hal Morris will entertain at a bridge-supper in honor of Mrs. Byron King, Jr., of Jacksonville, Fla.

Mrs. Albert Howell entertains at her home on West Pace's Ferry road, complimenting Mrs. James Walker, of Augusta, who is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. John Coleman, a recent bride.

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Young Atlanta Traveler Tells Of Life in Orient

A graphic picture of conditions in India and Tibet was contained in the address of Cobb Edwards, Atlanta globe-trotter, delivered Tuesday to members of the American Business club at its weekly luncheon meeting at the Henry Grady hotel.

The entertainment program of the luncheon was augmented by special vocal and dance numbers, including Spanish and modern American dances by Miss Lucella Sherrie, and songs and hard-slapper sketches by little Miss Jacqueline Gullatt, 7 years old, accompanied at the piano by Miss Marion Hope.

Members of the club were told by Edwards, who has recently returned from an extended sojourn in the remote sections of northern India and Tibet, of living and economic conditions in the Orient.

While in Nepal, a tiny independent kingdom lying between India and Tibet and in which white men seldom venture, the Atlanta explorer said he was forced to seek food from the isolated mountain huts of the wild Nepalis. Often, he asserted, this food consisted mainly of a coarse mush, was served to him in a human skull.

Because of the lack of materials with which to fashion household utensils and other implements, "Mr. Edwards related, 'human and domestic animal bones play a large part in the homes of the natives. I have many times seen the cook of the mountain family stirring mush with a human bone.'

A number of mementoes of his latest expedition were exhibited to members of the club, including a Tibetan prayer box and several photographs depicting the primitive life of northern India. Mr. Edwards told the members that after his experiences in various parts of the world he would advise against surrender of youths to the wanderlust.

"I am truly glad to be back in Atlanta," he concluded. "After all the fifth and hardships of my Tibetan venture it is good to be back in civilization again. He has already been in the south enter into business here. His father is K. E. Edwards, president of the Georgia Art Supply company.

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BY
R. L. BARNUM

New York, January 31.—Call money renewed at 5 per cent, but dropped to 4 1/2 around noon, the higher rate of the past few days receiving a large amount of funds from the interior. Money available for stock exchange use began to pour into Wall street late yesterday with the opening rate for call loans 4 1/2 per cent, and the rate advanced late in the day to 5. This inflow of money, together with an oversold stock market, accounted for the advance in stock prices late yesterday in the face of the money rate. Improvement in stock prices continued today with marked advances and activity in Montana Power, Radio, American Can, Mack Truck, Texas Pacific, Green Cananes, Hudson and a number of other issues in which pools are working.

Two dividends were passed today, Holla-Holla and Fox Steel Products. Officials of the company first named explained that because of a radical change in model production sales had dropped off during the last four months of 1927. It was stated that fixed charges had been earned but that cash was down. The company last month had been paying dividends on a basis of 10 per cent, and when we note radical expansion of business in the interim we must, necessarily, regard the increase in money rates as educational and not commercial. It is well to so regard it, and although we may for a few days misunderstand the failure of the market to fall in step with these suggestions, we shall sooner or later find that this money force is one which no market can long ignore.

Events Cause Discussion.
Today's weekly statement of 652 member banks reporting to the federal reserve shows a decrease of \$126,000,000 in loans and discounts, and a decrease of \$80,000,000 in the item "all other loans" which includes commercial loans. This statement, together with the passing of two dividends, the steel corporation report of earnings for the fourth quarter and 1927 as a whole, and the unfavorable December railroad earnings statement, caused widespread discussion of the general trade situation and outlook. Usually well informed Wall street bankers frankly admit that there has recently been increasing reports from various parts of the country regarding unemployment. In such banking quarters, however, the belief was expressed today that January would mark the peak of the unemployment now being discussed.

In usually well-informed Wall street banking circles it was pointed out that overproduction in the cotton textile industry was responsible for increasing unemployment, but that this was being offset by improvement in steel, automobiles, coal, boots, shoes, silk. Inside information shows that the first three weeks of January indicated a decline of 10 per cent in building contracts, let throughout the country. But it was added that a large bond offering, especially municipal, indicated that the building industry would improve and fulfill expectations. However, it was added that this is the time for seasonal decline in general trade, and hence not the time to get "chills and fever" over the outlook. In the best banking circles here the feeling is that by the middle of February general trade will show seasonal improvement.

Studebaker declared its regular dividend with the president of the company stating that January sales were 40 per cent ahead of last year. These increased sales are the result of the new model.

Stock Turn Over Increases.
Despite efforts that have been made

Stock Turnover For January
Was 55,000,000 Shares, as
Compared with 34,000,000
Shares For January, 1926.

to discourage trading in the stock market, this month's turn-over was 55,000,000 shares, against 34,000,000 for January of last year, which was considered a quiet month.

Total capitalization of oil, textile, real estate, shipping and other new companies incorporated throughout the country during December amounted to only \$225,000,000, against \$851,000,000 for December, 1926, making the total for 1927 \$4,603,000,000, against \$10,947,000,000 for 1926 and \$9,881,000,000 for 1925.

Signs began to appear early last year of overproduction in various industries, making for a slowing down in the number of new corporations floated. The slowing down which occurred last year in general trade, however, did not keep the interest and dividend payments of going corporations from making a new high for all time. For January of this year, another new high record for all time was made in interest and dividend payments, and the figures now available for February again show an increase over 1927. Total interest and dividend payments for the new month ahead aggregate \$235,000,000, compared with \$207,000,000 for February last year. Of this total \$157,000,000 is dividends against \$88,000,000 a year ago and \$176,000,000 is interest against \$155,000,000 for the second month in 1927.

Gross earnings of 53 important railroads reporting so far for the month of December total \$349,000,000, using only round figures, compared with \$399,000,000 for the same period of the previous year. This is a decrease of \$50,000,000, or 12 1/2 per cent. Net operating income for these same companies was \$42,969,000 against \$62,575,000 the previous year, a decrease of \$19,606,000 or 31 1/2 per cent. Evidently the railroads were not in a position to curtail operating expenses to the extent of offsetting the shrinkage occurring in gross earnings. If the downward trend in gross earnings continues two corrective steps will be taken by the railroads—maintaining appropriations for the year, which, in turn, will call for employment of fewer men. The three largest items in the operating expenses of the railroads are fuel, making up 6.4 per cent of the total materials and supplies 16 per cent, and wages 42.6 per cent, according to the latest available annual figures.

GREEK LOAN ISSUE
OVERSUBSCRIBED

DAILY BOND AVERAGES.
Tues. Mon.
Ten first-grade rails 98.40 98.48
Ten second-grade rails 98.73 99.02
Ten public utilities 98.21 98.11
Ten industrials 102.26 102.52
Combined average 99.65 99.65
Combined month ago 99.65
Combined year ago 96.65
Total bond sales (par value) \$11,910,000.

New York, January 31.—(AP)—Trading in the bond market today embraced a long list of miscellaneous issues, but volume of business showed little expansion. With time money rates remaining unchanged, a steady undertone was shown by the high-grade bond market generally, with firmness evident in a few government securities and a handful of railroad and public utility mortgages.

The market's ability to absorb large new offerings again was exemplified by prompt oversubscriptions of the \$17,000,000 American portion of the Greek stabilization and refugee loan, and the new issue of Southern Pacific 4 1/2s totaling \$29,400,000.

Several usually inactive mortgages made good gains. Outstanding among these were Gould Complex, Wheeling Steel "A" 5 1/2s and Continental Paper & Bag Mills 6 1/2s. New York Traction issues again came in for some spirited bidding, especially as a result of recent progress in unification plans.

Chief interest in the railway group centered in Big Four 4 1/2s. Rock Island 4s and Chesapeake Corporation 5s, but price changes were small throughout the section. A few convertible were active in sympathy with allied stocks, especially Brooklyn Union Gas 5 1/2s, which had a net gain of more than 5 points.

A few German obligations, eased slightly simultaneously with reports of failure of negotiations for a German railway loan of \$100,000,000 to have been floated here. The loan probably will be obtained from German banking houses. Other foreign bonds were steady, with firm tendencies in a few groups, particularly French.

Late buying of treasury 4s was followed by accumulation of 4 1/4s, both issues making moderately sharp gains.

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These big cash prizes are going to be given away to the lucky winners, and no one has a better chance than you if you will only make the proper effort. The object of the game is to see how much you can make the "COW" weigh by filling inside of the border representing the cow with figures "9."

How Much

Can You

Make the
"COW"
WEIGH?THAT'S THE
PROBLEM!

Try Your Hand at It by Writing the Figure "9" as Many Times as You Can Inside the Borderline of the "Cow."

Begin now on the game by clipping out the "cow" picture and start with lead pencil to filling in with the figure "9." You will find it absorbing fun, and every "9" that you write in the "cow" figure takes you further on your way to the big cash prizes that are to be given.

Be sure that the "9's" do not touch each other, nor touch the border of the cow. You may have additional copies of the "cow" picture by writing to the Cow Contest Dept., enclosing a stamped return envelope. The extra copies, however, will be on the same grade of paper as this is printed on.

You have a chance to earn \$15.00, \$250.00, \$1,000.00 or \$2,000.00, as explained and shown in the Prize List.

How to Win \$2,000.00 \$7,500

It is not necessary to send a subscription, but by qualifying your entry into "How much can you make the cow weigh" game with one or two subscriptions, you can increase the amount of the prize money that you will receive if you are a winner. For instance, the first prize is \$35.00, but if winner of first prize has qualified with one six months subscription, the prize will be \$250.00 instead of \$35.00. If qualified with one year's subscription the prize will be \$1,000.00 instead of \$35.00; or if qualified with two annual subscriptions the prize will be \$2,000.00 instead of \$35.00, and so on with proportional increases throughout the entire prize list. In all there are 25 prizes, as shown in this announcement.

\$35.00 Will be awarded to the winner of first prize (the person having the largest sum total in the cow picture) if no subscription is sent to the daily and Sunday Constitution.

\$250.00 instead of \$35.00 will be awarded to the winner of first prize provided one six months' subscription to the daily and Sunday Constitution with \$5.00 remittance is sent, new or renewal; second prize \$200.00, third prize \$100.00, etc. (See second column in prize list.)

\$1,000.00 instead of \$35.00 will be awarded to the winner of first prize provided one annual subscription, new or renewal, to the daily and Sunday Constitution is sent, new or renewal; second prize \$800.00, third prize \$400.00, etc. (See third column in prize list.)

Observe These General
Rules of the Contest!

1. All bona fide residents of Georgia and adjoining states may take part in this contest, except employees of The Atlanta Constitution and members of their families.
2. Contestants may submit as many different solutions as they desire, provided payment of one of the three amounts designated in the prize list accompany each solution, but no contestant will be permitted to win more than one award. Once registered, a solution cannot be changed.
3. The first prize will be awarded to the person having the greatest sum total, which is to be determined by the sum of the figures "9" written in the space designated inside of the border forming the picture representing the cow, to the second greatest total second prize, third greatest total third prize, etc.
4. Any lead pencil may be used. All writing or drawing pens of artists or engineers or their like are barred, as ink cannot be used on this grade of paper without blurring. The figures "9" need not be perfect in shape, but must be complete. Write as small as you like with any ordinary lead pencil of standard make—just so each "9" is fully shaped. Figures cannot touch each other, nor are they permitted to touch any part of the borderline forming the shape of the cow.
5. Copperplate type, shorthand, reproductions or reductions are barred, also duplicates of the original. Every "9" must actually be made by hand with an ordinary lead pencil of standard make, and must be discernible to the naked eye, meaning clear and distinct to a person of average good eyesight or equivalent. The natural eye by those who do not wear glasses, and ordinary reading glasses by those who wear glasses only guide allowed in filling in the figure "9." A "9" with either straight or curved tail is permissible.
6. Every contestant must give the correct total of the weight of the cow

This space must not be detached from the cow.
I have written the figure "9" inside of the outer border representing the cow
above _____ times, giving a grand sum total of _____ pounds

Name Contestant

P. O. State.....

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Name Contestant

P. O. State.....

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or R. F. D.

How many times can you write by hand, using a lead pencil, the figure "9" inside the border forming the cow outline? The sum total of the number of the "9's" that you put in the cow picture will represent your answer or what you give as the weight of the cow. For example twenty "9's" will be 180 pounds; one hundred "9's" would be 900 pounds, etc. Can you write in one hundred "9's," two hundred, or how many? The person having the greatest number of "9's," that is, the largest sum total, will win first prize, second largest second prize, etc.*

GET OUT YOUR
LEAD PENCIL NOW!

If you make the proper effort and fully qualify your solution it may mean \$2,000.00 to you.

THE PRIZE LIST

Note: The value of the prize depends on how much you pay on your subscription with your solution of the figure puzzle. The amount paid will be applied to the daily and Sunday Constitution. Daily only, or Tri-Weekly payments, not accepted in this "COW" figure contest.

	Price if 1 mo. sub. sent	Price if 6 mos. sub. sent	Price if 1 year sub. sent	Price if 2 year sub. sent
FIRST PRIZE	\$35.00	\$250.00	\$1,000.00	\$2,000.00
SECOND PRIZE	25.00	200.00	500.00	1,000.00
THIRD PRIZE	25.00	100.00	250.00	500.00
FOURTH PRIZE	15.00	50.00	150.00	300.00
FIFTH PRIZE	25.00	25.00	100.00	200.00
SIXTH PRIZE	5.00	25.00	50.00	100.00
SEVENTH PRIZE	5.00	25.00	25.00	50.00
EIGHTH PRIZE	5.00	20.00	20.00	25.00
NINTH to 25th Prize	1.00	2.00	10.00	20.00

Closing Date

The "How Much Can You Make the Cow Weigh" Game Closes
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8TH, 1928

No Solution Can Be Changed After It Has Once Been Registered.

If you find that you can make the cow weigh more than the first solution, which you sent, the only thing you can do is to send in another solution, which must be qualified independent of the first solution submitted. In other words, the qualification of one solution already submitted cannot be transferred to a later solution.

Important Facts to Remember!
While the amount you pay with the solution does not have any effect on your winning an award, it does affect the amount you will receive should you win one of the awards as the value of these awards is determined by what the winners pay. This is explained in the prize list, which you should study carefully before sending in your solution.
Address your solution, remittances, etc., to the Contest Manager, Daily Circulation Dept., The Atlanta Constitution, Atlanta, Ga.

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in the answer submitted by him. Incorrect statement disqualifies the solution. This weight of course is the sum total of the "9's" he has written in the figure representing the cow. This is important! Your name and complete address must be plainly written on margin of sheet on which your answer is given, or blank printed for that purpose, or a blank of your own selection attached hereto.

12. The contest is open to new and old subscribers alike. The regular subscription rate of \$5.00 for six months subscription or \$8.50 for 12 months subscription to the daily and Sunday Constitution will prevail. Daily only subscriptions or Tri-Weekly subscriptions not acceptable in this contest. Full amount of subscription must be remitted in every instance. When sent through an agent, postmaster, or otherwise, no commission can be deducted. In column 2 of prize list, six months' subscription there referred to can be either new or renewal; column

3, 12 months' subscription, \$8.50, can be either new or renewal. Column 4, requiring two annual subscriptions, one can be a renewal, but one must be new. A new subscription means one who is not now taking the daily and Sunday Constitution, directly or indirectly through any source, and has not within the past 60 days.

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EARLY TAX RETURNS ASKED OF DEKALBITES

Decatur, Ga., January 31.—(Special).—Early tax returns by all citizens of DeKalb county were asked Tuesday evening by W. H. Bond, tax receiver, in order that the work of the receiver's office may be expedited as much as possible.

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A meeting of representative reserve officers from eight southeastern states will be held at Fort McPherson from February 6 to February 17, by direction of the president of the United States and under authority from the war department.

LEGION BILLBOARD WILL BE ERECTED HERE THURSDAY

Asa W. Candler, state commander of the American Legion, Frank Kempton, commander of the Atlanta post, and Mayor I. N. Ragsdale, Thursday will superintend the erection of an American Legion billboard at 320 Peachtree street, which will be one of a chain of similar billboards throughout the entire country. The Atlanta billboard, to be put up at 10:30 o'clock Thursday morning, will be erected before the mayor and legion commanders in accordance with a program of gratuitous advertising for the legion that extends throughout the United States.

The billboards and the expense of their construction are donated by the General Outdoor Advertising company and the advertisements will bear the message, "We Serve in Peace as Well as in War."

SHERIFF INDICTED FOR SLAYING Foe IN PISTOL BATTLE

Selma, Ala., January 31.—(P)—In a partial report the Dallas county grand jury this afternoon returned indictments against J. E. Gaddy, former sheriff, and W. L. Hopper, Water street merchant, charging murder.

Gaddy is held for the death of W. Edward Moore, Dallas county road contractor from wounds received when shot by the former sheriff at a negro house early Monday about two weeks ago. Hopper is held for the death of a negro drayman who died from wounds inflicted by Hopper in a dispute over an account involving 35 cents.

MRS. E. J. WILLINGHAM, MACON LEADER, DIES

Macon, Ga., January 31.—(P)—Mrs. E. J. Willingham, one of the most prominent families in Georgia, died here last night. The funeral will be held tomorrow at noon.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Willingham leaves two daughters, a son and a brother. Mrs. Willingham was a sister of the late Judge W. H. Felton, of Bibb superior court and prominent here for years in church and club work.

LEO A. MORRISSEY, SAVANNAH LAWYER, PASSES SUDDENLY

Savannah, Ga., January 31.—(P)—Leo A. Morrissey, prominent member of the Savannah bar, and past elected ruler of Savannah Lodge of Elks, died suddenly tonight at his home here.

At one time Mr. Morrissey was assistant solicitor general of the eastern judicial circuit. He was married in April, 1927, to Miss Alice Stiles, of Brunswick. He was a veteran of the world war, serving as second lieutenant after enrolling as a private.

FUNERAL IN OHIO FOR CURTIS BEECH, YOUNG FIRE VICTIM

The body of Curtis Beech, 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Beech, of 524 Brownwood avenue, who died Monday night at Grady hospital from burns received when his clothing caught fire at an open grate in the home Sunday, was taken Tuesday night to Dayton, Ohio, for funeral services and interment.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Thomas, the child's parents, were slightly burned in an effort to extinguish the child's blazing garments. In addition to his parents, the child's grandparents, two brothers, two sisters, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Beech, of Maywood, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Gray, of Dayton, Ohio, Harry G. Poole is in charge of arrangements.

MRS. J. M. FOUNTAIN, OF GWINNETT, DIES

Lawrenceville, Ga., January 31.—(Special).—Mrs. J. M. Fountain, 84, pioneer resident of Gwinnett county, died at her residence six miles north of Lawrenceville early Tuesday morning.

She was a native of Gwinnett county and a daughter of the late Dr. L. H. Jackson, one of the pioneer physicians of the state. She was married to James M. Fountain 54 years ago, who survives her, together with one son, John W. Fountain, and several grand and great-grandchildren. Mrs. Fountain was an active worker in church affairs.

ALEX H. THRASHER, OF THOMSON, DIES

Thomson, Ga., January 31.—(Special).—Alex H. Thrasher, aged 68, one of the most prominent citizens of this community, died late Monday night in an Augusta hospital, where he had been taken for treatment after an extended illness.

Mr. Thrasher was a member of the firm of Thrasher & Wilkinson, live stock dealers. He is survived by his wife and two daughters, Mrs. W. A. Ansley and Mrs. J. W. Boatwright, both of Thomson.

S. P. SMITH, WINDER, FUNERAL IS HELD

Winder, Ga., January 31.—(Special).—Following an illness of several months, S. P. Smith, one of the influential and highly respected citizens of Winder, died here Monday. Mr. Smith was 78 years old and had lived here all his life, being identified with several business enterprises of Winder. He married Miss Lizzie Mobley, of Walton county, who died a few years ago. The funeral was held at the Winder Christian church Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. John H. Wood, pastor, and the Rev. E. L. Shelton officiating. Interment was in Rose Hill cemetery.

Mr. Smith is survived by the following children: Miss "Cie" Smith, Miss Jennie Smith, Miss Blanche Smith and R. J. Smith, of Winder; Mrs. L. E. Stoll, of Dallas, Texas; S. E. Smith, Americas; J. L. Smith, Chester, S. C.; and S. P. Smith, Charlotte, N. C.; two brothers, R. A. W. Smith, of Winder, and G. B. Smith, of Watkinsville, and two sisters, Miss Joe Smith and Mrs. J. H. Giles, of Winder.

LAST RITES HELD FOR MRS. WILLIAMS

Waycross, Ga., January 31.—(Special).—Funeral services were held Monday afternoon for Mrs. William Williams, 80, aged citizen of Brantley county, who died at the home of her son, John Williams, following a long illness. Funeral services were at Mount Pleasant church, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Power.

The deceased is survived by two sons, John Williams and William Williams, of Brantley county, and three daughters, Mrs. John L. Worth, of Lake Park, Fla., and Mrs. C. J. Aldridge, of Pierce county.

FINAL SERVICES TODAY FOR MRS. W'ILLIAMS

Funeral services for Mrs. Lilla Hittom Williams, who died Monday night at the residence, 506 Whitehall terrace, following an attack of heart disease, will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the chapel of Barclay & Brandon company. Interment will be in West View cemetery.

She is survived by her husband; a son, G. B. Hittom; two daughters, Mrs. J. J. Foy and Miss Pearl Keady; two sisters, Miss Pearl Rumph, of Waycross, Ga., and Mrs. W. M. Keady, and two brothers, H. R. Rumph, of Waycross, Ga., and John D. Rumph, of New Orleans, La.

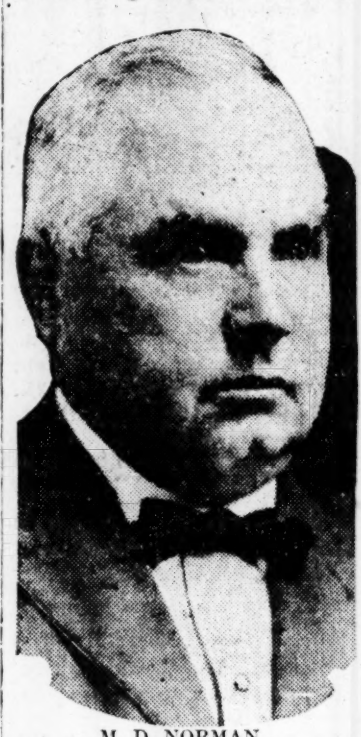
MISS OPHELIA ROYAL, FORT VALLEY, DIES

Fort Valley, Ga., January 31.—(Special).—The funeral of Miss Ophelia Royal, 74, who died at her home here Monday afternoon, was held from the Methodist church Tuesday afternoon. The service was conducted by the pastor, the Rev. T. H. Thompson.

Miss Royal is survived by one sister, Miss Roy Royal; a niece, Mrs. J. E. Davidson, of Fort Valley; a brother, L. N. Royal, of Macon; and a

M. D. NORMAN RITES ARE CONSUMMATED IN NORMAN PARK

M. D. Norman, president of the Bank of Norman Park, Ga., and one of the leading citizens of south Georgia, died here last night.



M. D. NORMAN.

The body of M. D. Norman, 62, died here last night at his home, 374 Woodward avenue, where he was taken Tuesday morning from a hospital in Tifton, Ga., for funeral and interment. Services were held in Norman Park with interment in Tifton cemetery.

The late M. D. Norman was a member of the Norman Park, and past elected ruler of Norman Park Lodge of Elks, died suddenly tonight at his home here. At one time Mr. Norman was assistant solicitor general of the eastern judicial circuit. He was married in April, 1927, to Miss Alice Stiles, of Brunswick. He was a veteran of the world war, serving as second lieutenant after enrolling as a private.

BRITISH SHIP CAIRO TO VISIT GALVESTON AND NEW ORLEANS

Washington, January 31.—(P)—The British ship H. M. S. Cairo will visit Galveston, Texas, February 13, when it will remain for seven days, the navy department was advised today.

From there it will proceed to New Orleans and thence to Mobile Bay, where it will remain to March 7.

Hodgson Will Play On Lucy Cobb Radio

A special musical program, sponsored by the music faculty of Lucy Cobb institute, will be broadcast over WGST, radio station of the Georgia School of Technology, from 9 o'clock until 10 o'clock Thursday night, it is announced.

Three piano solos from Mendelssohn will be played by Hugh Hodgson, noted organist and pianist. Mr. Hodgson will play the "Elegie," the "Scherzo," and the "Spinning Song," of the famous composer.

Miss Caroline Gray also will play three piano solos, "En Courante," "Toujours Ayeu," and "Five Flies." Miss Vivian Evans will sing "Toss," "My Love, the Swallow," and "Still as the Night."

Miss Gray will play three violin solos, with accompaniment by Miss Mary Mae Mauk. They will be "Valse Triste," "Serenade" and "The Rain."

Edna and Miss Gray will offer a combination of voice, violin and piano in three numbers, "I Love a Little Cottage," "Where My Caravan Has Rested" and "Sing Me to Sleep."

FINAL RITES TODAY FOR MRS. GRAHAM

Funeral services for Mrs. Lula B. Graham, 67, who died Monday afternoon at the residence of her sister, Mrs. W. E. Shuler, at 970 Piedmont avenue, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the chapel of Harry G. Poole. The Rev. John H. Wood, pastor, will officiate. The body will be taken to Austell for interment.

MRS. SIDNEY LANCEY LAID TO FINAL REST

Funeral services for Mrs. Sidney H. Lancey, 73, former Atlanta, who died Sunday at her home at 1416 Linwood avenue, East Point, were held Tuesday afternoon from the residence of the Rev. W. A. Duncan, the Rev. G. M. Davis and interment was in College Park cemetery.

MRS. NOLA BROACH DIES IN WAYCROSS

Waycross, Ga., January 31.—(Special).—Mrs. Nola Broach, 59, died at the home of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. W. E. Broach, here Monday, following an attack of apoplexy. Besides her husband the deceased is survived by two sons, W. H. McDonald and N. H. McDonald, of Folkston, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. W. E. Broach.

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Hunted Negro Outruns Dogs; Keeps Liberty

You've heard of the negro who told the rabbit to get out of the road and let somebody run who could run. A negro suspect in the slaying of W. H. Cleveland, filling station proprietor, owned the hero of the rabbit legend Monday night up in Gwinnett county, according to the story brought back to Atlanta by police detectives.

This negro, who was indicted Tuesday by the Fulton grand jury under the name of Will McCoy as an alleged participant in the holdup in which Cleveland was slain, was reported to have been located in Gwinnett county. A negro automobile driver informed police that a negro answering the description of the wanted man had accompanied him to Gwinnett county in his automobile, and on the way boasted of his part in the holdup and slaying, detectives said.

The negro automobile driver became scared of his companion, and managed to ditch him along the road. He informed police, and a veteran bloodhound was sent to pick up the trail at the spot where the suspect was left. The bloodhounds easily found the trail and followed it for a long distance through a tortuous maze of woods. Finally, the bloodhound began to show the effects of the long, winding trail and stopped every few minutes to rest. At last, weary to the point of exhaustion by the lengthy pursuit, the bloodhound gave up the ghost, and laid down in his tracks, unable to move a step further.

An emergency call was sent to Atlanta, and three bloodhounds were rushed to Gwinnett county from the Wood camp. These bloodhounds picked up where the veteran left off and after following the trail for 15 miles through the woods, lost it in a branch. This was early Tuesday morning, and the rain began to fall, causing the pursuit to be abandoned. Atlanta detectives were notified of the situation, and W. H. Stephens and C. L. Taylor, McCoy is still at large.

W. H. MILLS, FIRE VICTIM, IS BURIED IN GWINNETT

Funeral services for W. H. Mills, of 378 Woodward avenue, who was burned to death Sunday while seated in an automobile parked on Fraser street, were held Tuesday morning from the chapel of J. Austin Dillon company. Interment was in the churchyard at Camp Creek Baptist church, in Gwinnett county.

A coroner's jury returned a verdict of death from burns in a fire of undetermined origin.

Lodge Notices

East Point Council No. 23, B. P. O. E. U. A. M., will hold its regular assembly tonight at 7:30. C. O. WALKER, T. L. M. C. V. HALL, Recorder.

A regular assembly of Jason Burr Council No. 15, B. P. O. E. U. A. M., will be held this (Wednesday) evening at 7:30. C. O. WALKER, T. L. M. C. V. HALL, Recorder.

The regular communication of Adamsville Lodge No. 171, F. & A. M., will be held this (Wednesday) evening, February 1, 1928, at 7:30 o'clock. All dues and assessments are requested to meet promptly at 7:30 o'clock. W. M. VERNICE S. CALVERT, Sec.

Dr. O. E. A. M. meets Wednesday evening, February 1, 1928, at 7:30 o'clock. All dues and assessments are requested to meet promptly at 7:30 o'clock. CHAS. A. HUBBARD, C. P. J. TURNER, Ass't. R. C.

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JANUARY BREAKS ALL 1927 RECORDS IN BUILDING WORK

The month of January broke all records in building permits during the past year, according to announcement made Tuesday by A. C. McDaniel, assistant building inspector, who stated that up until Tuesday at noon the total was \$1,313,242. This total was larger than in any month of 1927, and nearly twice the total of December, he said.

It is believed that this amount will represent the final total as little work is expected to reach permit form before the books close for the month. School building figured prominently in January's large amount of permits, and there are several more school permits to be let which will probably figure in February's total.

Envoys Promoted.

Washington, January 31.—(P)—John K. Davis, of Wooster, Ohio, who was American consul at Nanking, and J. Hall Paxton, of Danville, Va., vice consul there, have been promoted and commended for the service they rendered to the Americans at Nanking last March in the fighting between the warring Chinese factions.

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